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FOR THE

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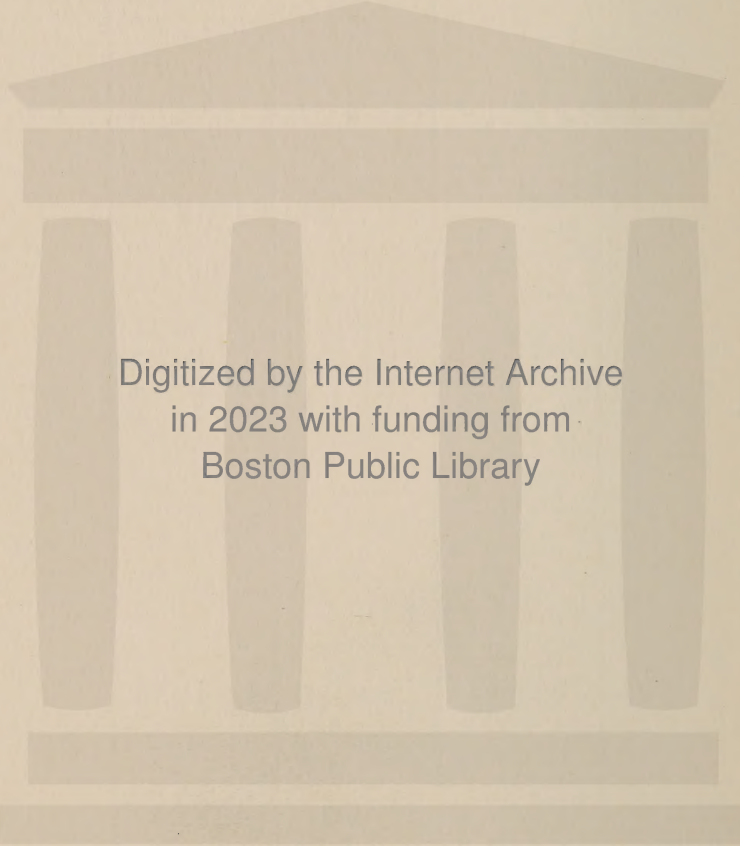
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## TOWN OFFICERS.

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### *Selectmen.*

WILLIAM FERGUSON, Term expires 1937.

ASA A. WESTCOTT, Term expires 1938.

CHARLES F. AUSTIN, Term expires 1939.

### *Board of Public Welfare, Board of Health and Fence Viewers.*

CHARLES F. AUSTIN,

WILLIAM FERGUSON.

ASA A. WESTCOTT.

### *Town Clerk.*

\*FRANK EDMANDS.

### *Treasurer.*

ALFRED A. LOVEJOY, JR.

### *Tax Collector.*

EUGENE S. NEWHALL.

### *Auditor.*

S. WALTER BATTY.

### *Assessors.*

A. DUNCAN JOHNSON, Term expires 1937.

GEORGE W. LUNT, Term expires 1938.

WARREN W. DUTCHER, Term expires 1939.

### *School Committee.*

G. RUSSELL GOFF, Term expires 1937.

JEANNE B. AMMEN, Term expires 1938.

HAMILTON W. THAYER, Term expires 1939.

\*—Deceased July 5, 1936. Clarence E. Arnold appointed Temporary Town Clerk July 6, 1936, and elected Town Clerk November 3, 1936.

*Trustees of Public Library.*

HARRY A. BILLINGS, Term expires 1937.  
 ANNA M. BANCROFT, Term expires 1938.  
 WALLACE I. STIMPSON, Term expires 1939.

*Road Commissioners.*

THOMAS H. WEST, 3RD., Term expires 1937.  
 G. RUSSELL GOFF, Term expires 1938.  
 RAYMOND SMETHURST, Term Expires 1939.

*Park Commissioners.*

B. H. BRISTOW DRAPER, JR., Term expires 1937.  
 GEORGE PIDDINGTON, Term expires 1938.  
 L. MARSHALL NEWELL, Term expires 1939.

*Commissioners of Trust Funds.*

CHARLES F. BUTTERWORTH, Term expires 1937.  
 FRANK A. LAPWORTH, Term expires 1938.  
 EBEN S. DRAPER, Term expires 1939.

*Constables.*

ARCHIBALD E. BECK,	WINTHROP A. REED,
SAMUEL E. KELLOGG,	ASA A. WESTCOTT,
THOMAS F. MALLOY,	LEWIS W. BARROWS.

*Tree Warden.*

SAMUEL E. KELLOGG.

## OFFICERS APPOINTED BY SELECTMEN.

*Clerk of Selectmen.*

WILLIAM FERGUSON.



*Finance Committee.*

EBEN S. DRAPER, Term expires 1937.

G. RUSSELL GOFF, Term expires 1937.

CHARLES F. AUSTIN, Term expires 1937.

CHARLES F. BUTTERWORTH, Term expires 1938.

HARRY A. BILLINGS, Term expires 1938.

ASA A. WESTCOTT, Term expires 1938.

ALFRED A. LOVEJOY, JR., Term expires 1939.

B. H. BRISTOW DRAPER, Term expires 1939.

WALLACE I. STIMPSON, Term expires 1939.

*Engineers of Fire Department.*

SAMUEL E. KELLOGG, Chief.

FRED G. CROCKETT, Deputy Chief.

WILLIAM E. WHITNEY, Deputy Chief.

*Police Officers.*

SAMUEL E. KELLOGG, Chief.

WM. H. BARNEY,	JOHN L. SULLIVAN,	ALBERT J. NEWELL,
LEWIS W. BARROWS,	R. A. LAFOUNTAIN,	E. A. PARKINSON,
ARCHIBALD E. BECK,	JOS. W. GIBBS,	CHARLES V. PEPPER,
ALBERT E. BONIN,	EDGAR H. HALL,	W. N. PRENTISS,
PAUL BRACCI,	JOHN H. HOLBROOK,	WINTHROP A. REED,
M. F. DOXEY,	GEO. W. JENKINS,	ASA A. WESTCOTT,
GEO. E. DRAPER,	ROSWELL L. LOOK,	ROY E. WESTCOTT,
WALTER F. DURGIN,	THOMAS MACNEVIN,	AUSTIN L. WHITNEY,
FRED ELKINS,	MILLARD J. MACUEN,	T. S. WILSON.
W. E. ESTES,	THOS. F. MALLOY,	
KENNETH GIBBS,	ELBERT W. MARSO,	

*Dog Officer.*

MILTON F. DOXEY.

*Registrars of Voters.*

WALTER E. BURKE, Term expires 1937.

CHARLES A. FORSTER, Term expires 1938.

†HENRY MARKHAM, Term expires 1939.

\*FRANK EDMANDS, Clerk.

*Lock-up Keeper.*

SAMUEL E. KELLOGG.

*Forest Warden.*

SAMUEL E. KELLOGG.

*Superintendent of Gypsy and Brown Tail Moth Extermination.*

SAMUEL E. KELLOGG.

*Measurers of Lumber.*

JOHN MIDGLEY,

JOHN R. BELL,

CHARLES SAWLER.

*Measurers of Wood and Bark.*

WM. H. BARNEY,

IRVING R. EATON,

ASA A. WESTCOTT,

EDGAR H. HALL,

ROY E. WESTCOTT,

*Public Weighers.*

WM. H. BARNEY,

IRVING R. EATON,

EDWARD N. KINSLEY,

ANTHONY DAGNESE,

JOHN L. ENOS,

JOSEPH ROSENFELD,

ROY E. WESTCOTT,

EDGAR H. HALL,

ASA A. WESTCOTT,

JOHN CLARK,

C. S. HOWARD,

CECELIA T. CONLON,

†—Deceased October 30, 1936. Edgar J. Markham appointed to fill out unexpired term.

\*—Deceased July 5, 1936. Clarence E. Arnold appointed to fill out unexpired term.



*Weighers of Coal.*

WM. H. BARNEY,      CECILIA T. CONLON, IRVING R. EATON,  
EDGAR H. HALL.

*Field Drivers.*

HAMBLET B. DEWING,      NORMAN S. HENRY.  
ASA A. WESTCOTT.

*Inspector of Animals and Slaughtering.*

†ALFRED W. LAMB.

*Inspector of Kerosene.*

ROY E. WESTCOTT.

*Sealer of Weights and Measures.*

LEWIS W. BARROWS.

*Town Counsel.*

CLAUDE F. SNIDER.

*Burial Agent of Deceased Soldiers and Sailors.*

WILLIAM R. STEARNS.

*Agent of Board of Health to Sign Burial Permits.*

\*FRANK EDMANDS.

†—Resigned April 30, 1936. Milton F. Doxey appointed to fill vacancy.

\*—Deceased July 5, 1936. Clarence E. Arnold appointed to fill vacancy July 6, 1936.

APPOINTED BY ASSESSORS.

*Assistant Assessors.*

ALTA L. LUNT,

GRACE B. MACUEN.

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APPOINTED BY SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

*Superintendent of Schools.*

ROBERT I. BRAMHALL.

*Truant Officers.*

LEWIS W. BARROWS,

THOMAS F. MALLOY,

JOSEPH W. GIBBS,

ERNEST A. PARKINSON,

JOHN H. HOLBROOK,

WINTHROP A. REED,

SAMUEL E. KELLOGG,

*School Nurses.*

HELEN GRADY, R. N.

MILDRED SALMOND, R. N.

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APPOINTED BY PUBLIC LIBRARY TRUSTEES.

*Librarian.*

MADELEINE R. WOODBURY.

*In Memoriam*

FRANK EDMANDS

TOWN CLERK

NOVEMBER 16, 1929—JULY 5, 1936



## TOWN CLERK'S REPORT.

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### Town Records.

1936.

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### TOWN WARRANT.

#### COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

*Worcester, ss.*

To either Constable of the Town of Hopedale, in said County:

Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth aforesaid, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town qualified by law to vote in Town affairs, to meet at the Town Hall on Monday, the second day of March next, punctually at 9.00 o'clock in the forenoon (the polls may be closed at 1 o'clock in the afternoon on said day of meeting), to act upon the following articles, namely:

Article 1. To choose a moderator to preside at said meeting.

Article 2. To choose all necessary town officers for the year ensuing, including the following officers: Town Clerk, Treasurer, Collector, Auditor, one Selectman for three years, one Road Commissioner for three years, one Assessor for three years, one member of the School Committee for three years, six constables, one Trustee of Public Library for three years, one Park Commissioner for three years, Tree Warden, and one member of the Board of Commissioners of Trust Funds for three years.

Article 3. To hear and act upon the report of the Selectmen, Board of Public Welfare, School Committee,

Engineers of the Fire Department, and any other officers and committees of said Town.

Article 4. To raise and appropriate or appropriate from any surplus or available funds in the treasury, such sum or sums of money as may be deemed necessary to defray Town charges for the ensuing year.

Article 5. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning Jan. 1, 1936, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws.

Article 6. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money on and after January 1, 1937, in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1937.

Article 7. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate Two Hundred and Forty Dollars (\$240.) toward defraying the expense of Memorial Day.

Article 8. To see what disposition the Town will make of money refunded from the county on account of the dog tax.

Article 9. To see what compensation the Town will allow the Collector of Taxes for his services.

Article 10. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to take charge of all legal proceedings for or against the Town.

Article 11. To see what sum of money the Town will raise and appropriate to be expended for the suppression of the Gypsy and Brown Tail Moths.

Article 12. To see if the Town will vote to ratify the action of the Selectmen in authorizing emergency overdraft of the 1935 appropriations for the Incidental Department in the sum of \$568.78, and appropriate money to pay said overdraft from any funds in the hands of the Treasurer, or take any other action in relation thereto.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting up attested copies thereof in at least four public places in said Town, seven days at least before the time set for said meeting.

Hereof fail not, and make due return of this Warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Clerk of said Town, at the time of meeting aforesaid.

Given under our hands at Hopedale, this 19th day of February, A.D. 1936.

CHARLES F. AUSTIN,  
ASA A. WESTCOTT,  
WM. FERGUSON,  
Selectmen of Hopedale.

Attest: SAMUEL E. KELLOGG,  
Constable of Hopedale.

I have complied with the requirements of this Warrant by posting attested copies in four public places in said Town, seven days before the time of said meeting.

Attest: SAMUEL E. KELLOGG,  
Constable of Hopedale.

A true copy of the Warrant and the doings thereon.

Attest: FRANK EDMANDS,  
Town Clerk.

Hopedale, February 25, 1936.

Selectmen Charles F. Austin, and William Ferguson, Constable Samuel E. Kellogg, and Assistant Town Clerk, W. F. Burrill, met this day at the Draper Corporation office at 10.10 A. M., and Selectman William Ferguson drew from the Juror Box the name of Walter F. Durgin, by occupation a chauffeur, to serve as Traverse Juror at our Superior Court, holden at Worcester, for the transaction of Civil Business on



Monday the sixteenth day of March next at 10.00 o'clock in the forenoon.

Attest:

W. F. BURRILL,

Assistant Town Clerk.

#### TOWN MEETING, MARCH 2, 1936.

Pursuant to Warrant lawfully posted the inhabitants of Hopedale, duly qualified by law to vote in Town affairs, met in Town Hall, and punctually at nine o'clock in the forenoon, were called to order, in the absence of the Clerk, by the Chairman of the Board of Selectmen of said Town, who read the Warrant. Mr. C. F. Austin was elected Clerk for the meeting, with the use of the check list, and under:

Article 1. Mr. Charles F. Butterworth was chosen Moderator with the use of the check list.

Article 2. Voted: That the Town proceed to vote for all the necessary Town officers by ballot, all upon one ballot, namely: Town Clerk, Treasurer, Collector, Auditor, one Selectman for three years, one Road Commissioner for three years, one Assessor for three years, one member of the School Committee for three years, six Constables, one Trustee of Public Library for three years, one Park Commissioner for three years, Tree Warden, and one member of the Board of Commissioners of Trust Funds for three years.

Article 3. Voted: Unanimously, that the reports of the Selectmen, Board of Public Welfare, School Committee, Engineers of the Fire Department, and any other officers and committees of said Town be accepted as printed.

The report of the Finance Committee for this meeting was presented as follows:

#### REPORT OF THE

#### HOPEDALE TOWN FINANCE COMMITTEE.

Mr. Moderator:

At a meeting of the Hopedale Town Finance Committee held February 24, 1936, the question of appropriations to be

considered at the Town Meeting to be held March 2, 1936, was considered.

Mr. G. Russell Goff, Clerk of the Hopedale Town Finance Committee was instructed to present to the Town Meeting the following recommendations as to appropriations to be made at that meeting:

Fire Department:

General, Maintenance and Equipment .....	\$8,500 00
New Hose .....	600 00
Brush Fires .....	200 00
Hydrant Water Service .....	4,980 00
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	\$14,280 00

Department of Public Welfare—including Dependent Mothers .....

\$10,000 00

Plus income received from the Welfare Department Trust Funds.

Old Age Assistance ..... \$5,000 00

School Department:

General, Maintenance and Equipment .....	\$47,500 00
Vocational School Tuition .....	2,000 00
To be under the supervision of the School Committee.	

Library Department:

General, Maintenance and Equipment .....	\$3,600 00
Plus money received from the Dog Tax, namely, \$413.43, and as referred to in Article 8 of the Town Warrant.	
Also interest from Library Trust Funds.	

Highway Department:

General, Maintenance and Equipment .....	\$16,000 00
This amount includes the suppression of	

Gypsy and Brown Tail Moths as referred to  
in Article 11 of the Town Warrant.

Street Lighting .....	\$4,800 00
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**Park Department:**

General, Maintenance and Equipment .....	\$4,250 00
Plus income from Park Department Trust Funds. ....	

**Incidental Department:**

General .....	\$4,500 00
Board of Health .....	2,000 00
Town Hall .....	3,000 00
Police Department and Equipment .....	8,450 00
Insurance .....	3,325 00
Interest .....	300 00
Cemeteries .....	100 00
Plus income from Cemetery Trust Funds.	
To pay Maturing Town Bonds .....	6,000 00
Interest on Town Bonds .....	2,700 00

Memorial Day .....	240 00
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This being the amount referred to in Article  
7 of the Town Warrant, the appropriation  
to be divided as follows:

Civil War .....	\$100 00	
World War .....	100 00	
Spanish War .....	40 00	
State Aid .....		1,000 00
Soldiers' Relief .....		3,000 00

It was also unanimously Voted to make the following  
recommendation:

That the sum of \$6,250.00 be appropriated from any  
funds in the hands of the Town Treasurer, for the purpose  
of purchasing new pump for the Fire Department.



It was also unanimously Voted that the sum of \$4,000.00 be appropriated from any funds in the hands of the Town Treasurer for the purpose of installing new sidewalks, to be under the supervision of the Highway Department.

It was also recommended that the sum of \$568.78 be appropriated from funds in the hands of the Town Treasurer covering overdraft of the 1935 appropriation as referred to in Article 12 of the Town Warrant, as follows:

Town Hall .....	\$425 50
Police Department .....	143 28

#### HOPEDALE TOWN FINANCE COMMITTEE,

by G. Russell Goff,  
Clerk of the Committee.

Voted: Unanimously, that the Town accept the report of the Finance Committee as read by Mr. G. Russell Goff, the clerk of said Committee and to act upon the same item by item.

Article 4. Acting on the foregoing report of the Hope-dale Town Finance Committee, it was:

Voted: Unanimously that the Town raise and appropriate sums as follows:

#### Fire Department:

General, Maintenance and Equipment .....	\$8,500 00
New Hose .....	600 00
Brush Fires .....	200 00
Hydrant Water Service .....	4,980.00
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	\$14,280 00

Department of Public Welfare—Including De-  
pendent Mothers .....

\$10,000 00

Plus income received from Welfare Depart-  
ment Trust Funds.

Old Age Assistance ..... \$5,000 00

## School Department:

General, Maintenance and Equipment .....	\$47,500 00
Vocational School Tuition .....	2,000 00
To be under the supervision of the School Committee.	

## Library Department:

General, Maintenance and Equipment .....	\$3,600 00
Plus money received from the Dog Tax, namely, \$413.43, and as referred to in Article 8 of the Town Warrant.	
Also interest from Library Trust Funds.	

## Highway Department:

General, Maintenance and Equipment .....	\$16,000 00
This amount includes the suppression of Gypsy and Brown Tail Moths as referred to in Article 11 of the Town Warrant.	
Street Lighting .....	4,800 00

## Park Department:

General, Maintenance and Equipment .....	\$4,250 00
Plus income from Park Department Trust Funds.	

## Incidental Department:

General .....	\$4,500 00
Board of Health .....	2,000 00
Town Hall .....	3,000 00
Police Department and Equipment .....	8,450 00
Insurance .....	3,325 00
Interest .....	300 00
Cemeteries .....	100 00
Plus income from Cemetery Trust Funds.	
To pay Maturing Town Bonds .....	6,000 00
Interest on Town Bonds .....	2,700 00

Memorial Day .....	240 00
This being the amount referred to in Article 7 of the Town Warrant, the appropriation to be divided as follows:	
Civil War .....	\$100 00
World War .....	100 00
Spanish War .....	40 00
State Aid .....	1,000 00
Soldiers' Relief .....	3,000 00

That the sum of \$6,250.00 be appropriated from any funds in the hands of the Town Treasurer, for the purpose of purchasing new pump for the Fire Department.

That the sum of \$4,000.00 be appropriated from any funds in the hands of the Town Treasurer for the purpose of installing new sidewalks, to be under the supervision of the Highway Department.

That the sum of \$568.78 be appropriated from funds in the hands of the Town Treasurer covering overdraft of the 1935 appropriation as referred to in Article 12 of the Town Warrant, as follows:

Town Hall .....	\$425 50
Police Department .....	143 28

Article 5. Voted: Unanimously, that the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, be and hereby is authorized to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1936, and to issue a note or notes therefor payable within one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws.

Article 6. Voted: Unanimously, that the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, be and hereby is authorized, to borrow money on and after January 1, 1937, and to issue a note or notes therefor payable within one year, any



debt incurred under this vote to be paid from the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1937.

Article 7. This was included and acted upon in Article 4.

Article 8. This was included and acted upon in Article 4.

Article 9. Voted: Unanimously, that the compensation of the Collector of Taxes for the year 1936 be \$500.00, all the expenses connected with the collection of taxes for the year 1936 to be borne by the Town and paid from the appropriation for the Incidental Department.

Article 10. Voted: Unanimously, to authorize the Selectmen to take charge of all legal proceedings for or against the Town.

Article 11. This was included and acted upon in Article 4.

Article 12. Voted: Unanimously, to ratify the action of the Selectmen, in authorizing emergency overdraft of the 1935 appropriations for the Incidental Department in the sum of \$568.78, and to pay said overdraft from any funds in the hands of the Treasurer.

Voted: That the polls be closed and the Warrant be dissolved at one o'clock in the afternoon.

Punctually at one o'clock the warrant was dissolved and the polls were declared closed, the ballots cast were counted and the result announced as follows:

There were 24 ballots cast for each of the following officers and the same were declared elected:

Town Clerk—Frank Edmands.\*

Treasurer—Alfred A. Lovejoy, Jr.\*

Collector—Eugene S. Newhall.\*

Auditor—S. Walter Batty.\*

Selectman for Three Years—Charles F. Austin.\*

Assessor for Three Years—Warren W. Dutcher.\*

Road Commissioner for Three Years—Raymond Smethurst.\*

School Committee for Three Years—Hamilton W. Thayer.\*

Trustee of Town Library for Three Years—

Wallace I. Stimpson.\*

Park Commissioner for Three Years—L. Marshall Newell.\*

Commissioner of Trust Funds for Three Years—

Eben S. Draper.\*

Constable—Archibald E. Beck.\*

Constable—Samuel E. Kellogg.\*

Constable—Lewis W. Barrows.\*

Constable—Asa A. Westcott.\*

Constable—Winthrop A. Reed.\*

Constable—Thomas F. Malloy.\*

Tree Warden—Samuel E. Kellogg.\*

\*—Candidate for re-election.

Of the above named Town Officers the following were sworn to the faithful performance of their duties.

By the Moderator—Frank Edmands.

By the Assistant Town Clerk—Alfred A. Lovejoy, Jr., Eugene S. Newhall, S. Walter Batty, Charles F. Austin, Warren W. Dutcher, Raymond Smethurst, Hamilton W. Thayer, Wallace I. Stimpson, L. Marshall Newell, Eben S. Draper, Archibald E. Beck, Samuel E. Kellogg, Lewis W. Barrows, Asa A. Westcott, Winthrop A. Reed, Thomas F. Malloy.

Hopedale, March 3, 1936.

This is to certify that I have, this day, appointed Mr. Clarence E. Arnold as Assistant Town Clerk and that he duly qualified for said office.

Attest:

FRANK EDMANDS,  
Town Clerk.

## TOWN WARRANT.

THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

*Worcester, ss.*

To either of the Constables of the Town of Hopedale,

Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town who are qualified to vote in Primaries to meet in Town Hall, Tuesday the Twenty-eighth day of April, 1936, at 12 o'clock noon, for the following purposes:

To bring in their votes to the Primary Officers for the election of Candidates of Political Parties for the following offices:

8 Delegates at Large to the National Convention of the Democratic Party.

8 Alternate Delegates at Large to the National Convention of the Democratic Party.

4 Delegates at Large to the National Convention of the Republican Party.

4 Alternate Delegates at Large to the National Convention of the Republican Party.

2 District Delegates to the National Convention of the Democratic Party, 4th. Congressional District.

2 Alternate District Delegates to the National Convention of the Democratic Party, 4th. Congressional District.

2 District Delegates to the National Convention of the Republican Party, 4th. Congressional District.

2 Alternate District Delegates to the National Convention of the Republican Party, 4th. Congressional District.

## PRESIDENTIAL PREFERENCE.

Preference for Democratic Candidate for President of the United States.

Preference for Republican Candidate for President of the United States.

District Member of State Committee for each political party for the 4th Worcester Senatorial District.

6 Members of the Democratic Town Committee.

11 Members of the Republican Town Committee.

1 Delegate to State Convention of the Democratic Party.

1 Delegate to State Convention of the Republican Party.

All the above candidates are to be voted for upon one ballot.

The polls will be open from 12 noon to 6 P. M.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies thereof seven days at least before the time of said meeting as directed by vote of the Town.

Hereof fail not and make return of this warrant with your doings thereon at the time and place of said meeting.

Given under our hands this tenth day of April, A.D. 1936.

CHARLES F. AUSTIN,

ASA A. WESTCOTT,

WM. FERGUSON,

Selectmen of Hopedale.

A true copy.

Attest:

SAMUEL E. KELLOGG,

Constable of Hopedale.

Friday, April 10, 1936.

Hopedale, April 28, 1936.

I have complied with the requirements of this warrant by posting attested copies in four public places in said Town seven days before the time of said meeting.

Attest:

SAMUEL E. KELLOGG,

Constable of Hopedale.

A true copy of the Warrant and doings thereon.

Attest:

FRANK EDMANDS,

Town Clerk.



Hopedale, Mass., April 28, 1936.

Pursuant to the Warrant properly posted, the inhabitants of Hopedale, duly qualified to vote in primaries, assembled in Town Hall, at 12 o'clock noon for the purpose of giving in their ballots to the Primary Officers for the candidates as stated upon the Warrant.

At six o'clock the polls were declared closed, the ballots cast were removed from the ballot box, sorted and counted by the tellers and counters, who had been previously sworn, and at 7.00 P. M., announcement was made as follows:

# REPUBLICAN BALLOT. (127 Cast).

## DELEGATES AT LARGE—Vote for Four.

### GROUP.

Charles F. Adams, Concord .....	122
George F. Booth, Worcester .....	120
Joseph W. Martin, North Attleborough .....	120
Allen T. Treadway, Stockbridge .....	120
Blanks .....	26

## ALTERNATE DELEGATES AT LARGE—Vote for Four.

### GROUP.

Mary Phillips Bailey, Northampton .....	116
Florence H. LeFevre, Norwood .....	116
Wallace Stearns, East Boston .....	114
Anna C. M. Tillinghast, Cambridge .....	115
Blanks .....	47

## DISTRICT DELEGATES—Fourth District—Vote for Two.

### GROUP.

Winfield A. Schuster, East Douglas .....	117
B. H. Bristow Draper, Hopedale .....	125
Blanks .....	12

## ALTERNATE DISTRICT DELEGATES—Fourth District—

## Vote for Two—GROUP.

Axel U. Sternlof, Worcester .....	115
Evelyn C. Bjorkman, Worcester .....	114
Blanks .....	25

## PRESIDENTIAL PREFERENCE.

Alf. M. Landon .....	55
Herbert Hoover .....	7
William Borah .....	2
Blanks .....	63

## STATE COMMITTEE, (Fourth Worcester District).

Joseph H. Doyle, Milford .....	45
T. Frank Hickey, Shrewsbury .....	74
Blanks .....	8

## DELEGATES TO STATE CONVENTION.

B. H. Bristow Draper, Jr., Hopedale .....	125
Blanks .....	2

## TOWN COMMITTEE.

Charles F. Austin, Hopedale .....	120
C. F. Butterworth, Hopedale .....	121
Eugene J. Creighton, Hopedale .....	120
Asa A. Westcott, Hopedale .....	120
Eben S. Draper, Hopedale .....	119
Lucile P. Barney, Hopedale .....	120
Edna H. Beck, Hopedale .....	118
Elizabeth Wood Thayer, Hopedale .....	119
Carl E. Adams, Hopedale .....	118
Edwin B. Binks, Hopedale .....	118
Napier Scribner, Hopedale .....	116
Blanks .....	88

## DEMOCRATIC BALLOT—(11 Cast).

## DELEGATES AT LARGE—Vote for Eight—GROUP.

Pledged to President F. D. Roosevelt.

David I. Walsh, Fitchburg .....	11
Marcus A. Coolidge, Fitchburg .....	11
James M. Curley, Boston .....	10
William J. Granfield, Springfield .....	9
Joseph McGrath, Boston .....	9
Margaret M. O'Riordan, Boston .....	9
Elizabeth L. McNamara, Cambridge .....	9
Grace Hartley Howe, Fall River .....	9
Blanks .....	11

## NOT GROUPED.

Timothy E. Carroll, Cambridge .....	2
Alexander F. Sullivan, Boston .....	1
Blanks .....	19

## ALTERNATE DELEGATES AT LARGE—Vote for Eight—GROUP.

Pledged to President Franklin D. Roosevelt.

Clementina Langone, Boston .....	9
Mary Maliotis, Boston .....	10
Golda R. Walters, Woburn .....	9
Sadie H. Mulrone, Springfield .....	9
Louise B. Clark, Bridgewater .....	10
H. Oscar Rocheleau, Worcester .....	9
Stanley W. Wisnioski, Chelsea .....	9
Julian D. Rainey, Boston .....	9
Blanks .....	14

## DISTRICT DELEGATE—Fourth District—Vote for Two—GROUP.

Pledged to President Franklin D. Roosevelt.

Edward A. Ryan, Worcester .....	9
Mary E. A. Murray, Milford .....	11
Blanks .....	2

## NOT GROUPED.

Anna A. Sharry, Worcester .....	2
Blanks .....	9

## ALTERNATE DISTRICT DELEGATES—Fourth District

## Vote for Two.

## Pledged to President Franklin D. Roosevelt.

James J. Sughrue, Northbridge .....	8
Martha Ducey, Shrewsbury .....	9
Blanks .....	5

## PRESIDENTIAL PREFERENCE.

President Franklin D. Roosevelt .....	6
Blanks .....	5

## STATE COMMITTEE, (Fourth Worcester District.)

Francis E. Cassidy, Webster .....	9
Blanks .....	2

## DELEGATES TO STATE CONVENTION.

John J. Lahive, Hopedale .....	10
Blanks .....	1

## TOWN COMMITTEE.

John J. Lahive, Hopedale .....	10
Horace B. Norcross, Hopedale .....	9
Walter E. Burke, Hopedale .....	9
Henry Markham, Hopedale .....	9
Thomas H. Gaffney, Hopedale .....	10
Blanks .....	8

The foregoing making a total of 127 Republican and 11 Democratic; a grand total of 138 ballots.

Attest:

FRANK EDMANDS,

Town Clerk.



Hopedale, Mass., May 1, 1936.

This is to certify that the Town Clerk has this day issued to:

Wilfred L. Corey, 100 Mendon Street

Ethier Brothers, 130 Mendon Street

Draper Corporation, Corner Chapel and Dutcher Streets

Harvey W. Legee, 103 Mendon Street

Harry Minasian, 404 South Main Street

Henry Patrick Co., Corner Hope and Hopedale Streets  
certificates of registration in accordance with the provisions  
of the General Laws of Chapter 148, and amendments there-  
to, to operate a Filling Station, said registration to expire  
April 30, 1937 unless sooner suspended or revoked.

Attest:

FRANK EDMANDS,

Town Clerk.

Hopedale, May 1, 1936.

This is to certify that the Selectmen granted the follow-  
ing Junk Licenses:

No. 1—Joseph Marcus, 66 Fruit Street, Milford, Mass.

No. 2—Morris Sneiderman, 21 Freedom Street, Hope-  
dale, Mass.

No. 3—Pincus Rapaport, 86 West Street, Milford, Mass.,  
to expire April 30, 1937 unless sooner suspended or revoked.

Attest:

FRANK EDMANDS,

Town Clerk.

Hopedale, Mass., July 6, 1936.

At a meeting of the Board of Selectmen held this day,  
Clarence E. Arnold was appointed Temporary Town Clerk  
for 60 days and was sworn to the faithful performance of  
his duties by Warren W. Dutcher, Notary Public.

Attest:

CLARENCE E. ARNOLD,

Assistant Town Clerk.

Hopedale, July 14, 1936.

This is to certify that I have, this day, appointed Mr. W. Frederic Burrill as Assistant Town Clerk and that he duly qualified for said office.

CLARENCE E. ARNOLD,  
Temporary Town Clerk.

Hopedale, August 17, 1936.

Selectmen William Ferguson, Asa A. Westcott, Constable Samuel E. Kellogg, and Temporary Town Clerk Clarence E. Arnold met at the Draper Corporation office, this day at 9.30 o'clock in the morning and Selectman Asa A. Westcott drew from the Juror Box the name of Benjamin J. Davenport, Auto Mechanic of 15 Park Street to serve as Traverse Juror at our Superior Court to be holden at Worcester for the transaction of civil business on Monday, the twenty-first day of September 1936, at 10.00 o'clock in the forenoon.

Attest: CLARENCE E. ARNOLD,  
Temporary Town Clerk.

Hopedale, September 3, 1936.

At a meeting of the Board of Selectmen held this day, Clarence E. Arnold was appointed Temporary Town Clerk for 60 days and duly qualified for same.

CLARENCE E. ARNOLD,  
Temporary Town Clerk.

# TOWN WARRANT.

THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

*Worcester, ss.*

To either of the Constables of the Town of Hopedale,

Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town who are qualified to vote in Primaries to meet in the Town Hall

Tuesday, the Fifteenth day of September, 1936 at 9 o'clock A. M., for the following purposes:

To bring in their votes to the Primary Officers for the nomination of Candidates of Political Parties for the following offices:

Governor, for this Commonwealth.  
 Lieutenant-Governor, for this Commonwealth.  
 Secretary of the Commonwealth, for this Commonwealth.  
 Treasurer and Receiver-General, for this Commonwealth.  
 Auditor of the Commonwealth, for this Commonwealth.  
 Attorney-General, for this Commonwealth.  
 Senator in Congress, for this Commonwealth.  
 Representative in Congress, for 4th Congressional District.  
 Councillor, for 7th Councillor District.  
 Senator, for 4th Worcester Senatorial District.  
 One Representative in General Court, for 7th Worcester Representative District.  
 Register of Probate and Insolvency for Worcester County.  
 Two County Commissioners for Worcester County.  
 County Treasurer for Worcester County.

The polls will be open from 9 A. M. to 8 P. M.

Hereof fail not and make return of this warrant with your doings thereon at the time and place of said meeting.

Given under our hands this fourth day of September A. D. 1936.

CHARLES F. AUSTIN,  
 ASA A. WESTCOTT,  
 WM. FERGUSON,  
 Selectmen of Hopedale.

A true copy.  
 Attest:

SAMUEL E. KELLOGG,  
 Constable.

Hopedale, September 15, 1936.

I have complied with the requirements of this Warrant by posting attested copies in four public places in said Town seven days before the time of said meeting.

SAMUEL E. KELLOGG,  
Constable of Hopedale.

A true copy of the Warrant and doings thereon.

Attest: CLARENCE E. ARNOLD,  
Temporary Town Clerk.

Hopedale, September 15, 1936.

Pursuant to the Warrant lawfully posted, the inhabitants of Hopedale, duly qualified to vote in Primaries assembled at Town Hall, at 9 o'clock A. M. on the 15th day of September for the purpose of giving in their votes to the Primary Officers for the Candidates as stated upon the Warrant.

At 3.15 P. M. the ballot box was opened and 100 ballots taken therefrom.

The tellers being duly sworn as the law directs, began the counting. The ballot box was opened later as follows: at 4.15 P. M., for 200 ballots, at 6.25 P. M., for 100 ballots, at 7.15 P. M., for 100 ballots, and at 8 o'clock P. M. the polls were declared closed, the ballot box registered 603 and 103 more ballots were taken therefrom making a total of 603 as registered.

At 9.10 o'clock P. M., announcement was made as follows:

#### REPUBLICAN BALLOT.

##### GOVERNOR.

John W. Haigis, Greenfield .....	558
William H. McMasters, Cambridge .....	1
Blanks .....	21



## LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR.

Leverett Saltonstall, Newton .....	559
Blanks .....	21

## SECRETARY.

Frederick W. Cook, Somerville .....	552
Blanks .....	28

## TREASURER.

William E. Hurley, Boston .....	407
William G. Andrew, Cambridge .....	50
Fred Jefferson Burrell, Medford .....	91
Blanks .....	32

## AUDITOR.

Richard Darby, Everett .....	167
Russell A. Wood, Cambridge .....	362
Blanks .....	51

## ATTORNEY-GENERAL.

Felix Forte, Somerville .....	535
Blanks .....	45

## SENATOR IN CONGRESS.

Henry Cabot Lodge, Jr., Beverly .....	483
Alonzo B. Cook, Boston .....	44
Guy M. Gray, Greenfield .....	35
Blanks .....	18

## CONGRESSMAN, (Fourth District).

John F. Harrigan, Worcester .....	108
Pehr G. Holmes, Worcester .....	452
Blanks .....	20

## COUNCILLOR, (Seventh District).

Leo A. J. Charbonneau, Worcester .....	84
Winfield A. Schuster, Douglas .....	464
Blanks .....	32

## SENATOR, (Fourth Worcester District).

Elmer C. Nelson, Milford .....	540
Blanks .....	40

REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT,  
(Seventh Worcester District).

John W. Lasell, Northbridge .....	535
Blanks .....	45

REGISTER OF PROBATE AND INSOLVENCY.  
(Worcester County.)

Leon E. Felton, Worcester .....	500
Blanks .....	80

## COUNTY COMMISSIONERS, (Worcester County).

Arthur Anderson, Sterling .....	63
Ray P. Bartlett, Winchendon .....	147
Joseph N. Carriere, Fitchburg .....	49
Lemuel D. Carter, Berlin .....	102
Earl P. Crockett, Shrewsbury .....	49
Elbert M. Crockett, Milford .....	522
Daniel J. Harrington, Holden .....	53
G. Arthur Wells, Shrewsbury .....	60
Blanks .....	115

## COUNTY TREASURER, (Worcester County.)

Ralph R. Kendall, Worcester .....	542
Blanks .....	38

## DEMOCRATIC BALLOT.

## GOVERNOR.

Charles F. Hurley, Cambridge .....	20
Blanks .....	3

## LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR.

Philip J. Philbin, Clinton .....	12
Thomas F. Galvin, Lawrence .....	6
Francis E. Kelly, Boston .....	5

## SECRETARY.

Joseph Santosuosso, Boston .....	13
William J. Ahearne, Lynn .....	1
John J. Buckley, Medford .....	4
John D. O'Brien, Boston .....	2
Edward W. O'Hearn, Boston .....	0
William F. Sullivan, Boston .....	2
Blanks .....	1

## TREASURER.

James C. Scanlon, Somerville .....	8
James M. Hurley, Marlboro .....	13
Blanks .....	2

## AUDITOR.

Thomas H. Buckley, Abington .....	19
Leo D. Walsh, Boston .....	3
Blanks .....	1

## ATTORNEY-GENERAL.

Paul A. Dever, Cambridge .....	21
Blanks .....	2

## SENATOR IN CONGRESS.

James M. Curley, Boston .....	11
Robert E. Greenwood, Fitchburg .....	8
Thomas C. O'Brien, Boston .....	4

## CONGRESSMAN, (Fourth District).

James H. Ferguson, Worcester .....	6
John M. Murphy, Uxbridge .....	5
Edward A. Ryan, Worcester .....	4
C. Winthrop Small, Worcester .....	6
Blanks .....	2

## COUNCILLOR, (Seventh District).

Charles J. O'Connor, Worcester .....	20
Blanks .....	3

## SENATOR, (Fourth Worcester District).

P. Eugene Casey, Milford .....	20
Arthur J. Mercier, Sutton .....	3

## REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT,

## (7th Worcester District).

Gaston A. Daoust, Northbridge .....	21
Blanks .....	2

## REGISTER OF PROBATE AND INSOLVENCY.

## (Worcester County.)

F. Joseph Donohue, Worcester .....	17
Robert R. Gallagher, Worcester .....	0
Edward L. Moore, Worcester .....	3
Blanks .....	3



## COUNTY COMMISSIONERS, (Worcester County).

Francis E. Cassidy, Webster .....	18
Isidore Wilfred Smith, Leominster .....	8
Charles N. Turner, Oxford .....	8
Blanks .....	12

## COUNTY TREASURER, (Worcester County.)

Alexander G. Lajoie, Worcester .....	21
Blanks .....	2

The foregoing make a total of 580 Republican and 23 Democratic: a grand total of 603 ballots.

Attest: CLARENCE E. ARNOLD,  
Temporary Town Clerk.

Hopedale, Mass., September 22, 1936.

Selectmen Charles F. Austin and William Ferguson, Constable S. E. Kellogg and Assistant Town Clerk W. F. Burrill, met at the Draper Corporation office this day at 9.05 in the forenoon and Selectman Ferguson drew from the Juror Box the name of Edwin F. Clarridge, Mason, of 39 Daniels Street, to serve as Traverse Juror at our Superior Court to be holden at Worcester for the transaction of Criminal Business on Monday the 19th day of October next at 10 o'clock A. M.

Attest: W. F. BURRILL,  
Assistant Town Clerk.

Hopedale, November 2, 1936.

At a meeting of the Board of Selectmen of the Town of Hopedale held this day, Clarence E. Arnold was appointed Temporary Town Clerk to serve until a Town Clerk to be elected at the ensuing Town Meeting is duly qualified.

CLARENCE E. ARNOLD,  
Temporary Town Clerk.

## TOWN WARRANT.

## COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

*Worcester, ss.*

To either Constable of the Town of Hopedale, in said County:

Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth aforesaid, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town qualified by law to vote in elections and in Town affairs, to meet at the Town Hall, in said town, on Tuesday, the third day of November, A.D. 1936, it being the first Tuesday after the first Monday, punctually at seven o'clock in the forenoon, at which time the polls will be opened for said voters to give in their ballots to the Selectmen for Presidential Electors; Governor; Lieutenant Governor; Secretary; Treasurer; Auditor; Attorney-General; Senator in Congress; Representative in Congress (4th District); Councillor (7th District); Senator (4th Worcester District); Representative in General Court (7th Worcester District); Register of Probate and Insolvency (Worcester County); 2 County Commissioners (Worcester County); County Treasurer (Worcester County); all on one ballot designating the office intended for each person voted for. Also upon said ballots the voters shall give in their votes, "Yes" or "No" on the following questions:

1. Shall licenses be granted in this city (or town) for the sale therein of all alcoholic beverages (whiskey, rum, gin, malt beverages, wine and all other alcoholic beverages)?

2. Shall licenses be granted in this city (or town) for the sale therein of wine and malt beverages (wines and beer, ale and all other malt beverages)?

3. Shall licenses be granted in this city (or town) for the sale therein of all alcoholic beverages in packages, so called, not to be drunk on the premises?

The polls may be closed at eight o'clock in the evening on the said day.

At nine o'clock in the forenoon on the above mentioned third day of November there will be a meeting of the above described inhabitants qualified by law to vote in Town affairs, to act upon the following articles, namely:

Article 1. To choose a moderator to preside at said meeting.

Article 2. To choose a Town Clerk for the remainder of the current term, to fill a vacancy.

Article 3. To hear and act upon the reports of any Committees appointed by the Town.

Article 4. To see if the Town will appropriate from any surplus or available funds in the treasury, the sum of two thousand four hundred dollars for the use of the Incidental Department, or take any other action in relation to the foregoing.

Article 5. To see if the Town will appropriate from any surplus or available funds in the treasury, the sum of five hundred dollars for the use of the Park Department, or take any other action in relation to the foregoing.

Article 6. To see if the Town will appropriate from any surplus or available funds in the treasury, the sum of three thousand five hundred dollars for a school bus to be maintained and operated under direction of the School Committee, or take any other action in relation to the foregoing.

And you are hereby directed to serve this Warrant by posting up attested copies thereof in at least four public places in said town, seven days at least before the time set for said meeting.

Hereof fail not, and make due return of this Warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Clerk of said Town at the time of meeting aforesaid.

Given under our hands at Hopedale, the Twenty-third day of October A. D. 1936.

CHARLES F. AUSTIN,  
ASA A. WESTCOTT,  
WM. FERGUSON,  
Selectmen of Hopedale.

Attest: SAMUEL E. KELLOGG,  
Constable of Hopedale.

Hopedale, November 3, 1936.

I have complied with the requirements of this Warrant by posting attested copies in four public places in said Town seven days before the time of said meeting.

Attest: SAMUEL E. KELLOGG,  
Constable of Hopedale.

A true copy of the Warrant and doings thereon.

Attest: CLARENCE E. ARNOLD,  
Temporary Town Clerk.

#### TOWN MEETING NOVEMBER 3, 1936.

Pursuant to Warrant lawfully posted, the inhabitants of Hopedale, duly qualified by law to vote in elections and in Town affairs, met at Town Hall on November 3, 1936, and punctually at 7.00 o'clock in the forenoon, were called to order by the Temporary Town Clerk, who read the warrant, after which the polls were declared open.

The cards of instructions and specimen ballots being previously posted, the ballot clerks and deputy ballot clerks were sworn to the faithful performance of their duty, the official ballots delivered by the presiding officer to the ballot clerks, who receipted therefor.

The ballot box registered at zero and was shown to be empty, the same was locked and the key delivered to the Presiding Officer.

Voting then proceeded.

At nine o'clock A. M., there was a meeting of the above described inhabitants, and under:

Article 1. Mr. C. F. Butterworth was chosen Moderator with the use of the check list.

Article 2. Mr. Clarence E. Arnold was chosen Town Clerk for the remainder of the current term, to fill a vacancy, with the use of the check list, and was sworn by the Moderator.

Article 3. The following report was presented.

November 3, 1936

#### REPORT OF THE HOPEDALE TOWN FINANCE COMMITTEE.

Mr. Moderator:—

At a meeting of the Hopedale Town Finance Committee held October 16, 1936, the question of appropriations to be considered at a Town Meeting to be held November 3, 1936, was considered.

Mr. G. Russell Goff, Clerk of the Hopedale Town Finance Committee was instructed to present to the Town Meeting, the following recommendations as to appropriations to be made at that meeting:—

For the Incidental Department:

For Board of Health .....	\$300 00
For Police Department .....	300 00
For Department of Public Welfare, including Dependent Mothers .....	1,000 00
For Old Age Assistance .....	800 00

To be appropriated from any available funds in the hands of the Treasurer and as referred to in Article 4 of the Town Warrant.

For Park Department:

General Maintenance and Equipment .....	\$500 00
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To be appropriated from any available funds in the hands of the Treasurer and as referred to in Article 5 of the Town Warrant.

For School Department:

For New School Bus to be purchased and operated under the Supervision of the School

Committee .... \$3,500 00

To be appropriated from any available funds in the hands of the Treasurer and as referred to in Article 6 of the Town Warrant.

HOPEDALE TOWN FINANCE COMMITTEE,

G. Russell Goff, Clerk of the Committee.

Article 4. Voted: Unanimously, that the sum of two thousand four hundred dollars be appropriated from any surplus or available funds in the Treasury for the Incidental Department, to be divided as follows: For Board of Health, \$200.00. For Police Department \$300.00. For Department of Public Welfare, including Dependent Mothers \$1,000.00, and Old Age Assistance \$800.00.

Article 5. Voted: Unanimously, that the sum of five hundred dollars be appropriated from any surplus or available funds in the Treasury for the Park Department, for General Maintenance and Equipment.

Article 6. Voted: Unanimously, that the sum of three thousand five hundred dollars be appropriated from any surplus or available funds in the Treasury for the School Dept., for new School Bus to be maintained and operated under the supervision of the School Committee.

Voted: That the meeting be dissolved and the polls be closed at 8 o'clock P. M.

At 9.15 A. M. the ballot box which registered 200, was opened by the Presiding Officer and 200 ballots were taken therefrom.

The Tellers being duly sworn as the law directs counting proceeded.

The ballot box was afterward opened and ballots removed therefrom as follows: at 10.00 A. M., 100, at 11.10 A. M., 100, at 1.00 P. M., 100, at 2.00 P. M., 100, at 3.05 P. M., 150, at 5.00 P. M., 150, at 6.00 P. M., 150, at 6.30 P. M., 100, at 7.30 P. M., 250, at 8.00 P. M., the polls were declared closed and seventy-seven more ballots removed therefrom, making a total of 1477. At this time the ballots of twenty-three absent voters were examined and checked, all having been accepted, and were put through the ballot box, which now registered 1500. A total of 1500 ballots were accounted for. The ballot clerk's list showed that 1500 (821 male, 679 female) names had been checked, and the voting list showed the same number.

The result was tabulated and at 11.00 P. M., was declared in open meeting as follows:

#### ELECTORS OF PRESIDENT AND VICE PRESIDENT.

Aiken and Teichert, Socialist Labor .....	0
Browder and Ford, Communist Party .....	0
Colvin and Watson, Prohibition Party .....	0
Landon and Knox, Republican .....	1078
Lemke and O'Brien, Union Party .....	37
Roosevelt and Garner, Democratic .....	352
Thomas and Nelson, Socialist Party .....	0
Blanks .....	33

#### GOVERNOR.

Fred G. Bushold, of Lawrence, Union-Coughlin-Townsend .....	7
Alfred H. Evans, of Northfield, Prohibition .....	1
John W. Haigis, of Greenfield, Republican .....	1119
Horace I. Hillis, of Saugus, Socialist Labor .....	0
Otis Archer Hood, of Boston, Communist Party .....	1
Charles F. Hurley, of Cambridge, Democratic .....	303
Alfred Baker Lewis, of Cambridge, Socialist Party .....	2
William H. McMasters, of Cambridge, Union Party ....	39
Blanks .....	28

## LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR.

Henning A. Blomen, of Cambridge, Socialist Labor .....	4
Freeman W. Follett, of Haverhill, Prohibition .....	7
Walter S. Hutchins, of Greenfield, Socialist Party .....	2
Francis E. Kelly, of Boston, Democratic .....	313
Leverett Saltonstall, of Newton, Republican .....	1138
Paul C. Wicks, of Greenfield, Communist Party .....	1
Blanks .....	35

## SECRETARY.

Frederic W. Cook, of Somerville, Republican .....	1176
Ralph Dow, of New Bedford, Socialist Party .....	3
George L. McGlynn, of Springfield, Socialist Labor ....	2
Mary E. Moore, of Boston, Communist Party .....	0
Joseph Santosuosso, of Boston, Democratic .....	267
Blanks .....	52

## TREASURER.

Thomas Gilmartin, of Boston, Socialist Labor .....	2
Mabelle M. Groves, of Newton, Prohibition .....	1
Harold J. Hatfield, of Belmont, Independent Progressive	2
Eva Hoffman, of Boston, Communist Party .....	0
James M. Hurley, of Marlborough, Democratic .....	280
William E. Hurley, of Boston, Republican .....	1168
Sylvester J. McBride, of Watertown, Socialist Party	1
Blanks .....	46

## AUDITOR.

Lyman M. Aldrich, of Worcester, Prohibition .....	4
Thomas H. Buckley, of Abington, Democratic .....	301
Richard Darby, of Everett, Independent .....	3
Elizabeth Donovan, of North Brookfield, Socialist Party	2
Alfred Haase, of Fitchburg, Communist Party .....	0
Walter J. Hogan, of Springfield, Socialist Labor .....	6
Russell A. Wood, of Cambridge, Republican .....	1125
Blanks .....	59

## ATTORNEY GENERAL.

Morris Berzon, of Everett, Socialist Party .....	3
Paul A. Dever, of Cambridge, Democratic .....	319
Felix Forte, of Somerville, Republican .....	1110
George F. Hogan, of Nahant, Prohibition .....	2
Fred E. Oelcher, of Peabody, Socialist Labor .....	1
Michael Tuyzuzian, of Chelsea, Communist Party .....	1
Blanks .....	64

## SENATOR IN CONGRESS.

Alonzo B. Cook, of Boston, Townsendite-Prohibition-Economy .....	8
Albert Sprague Coolidge, of Cambridge, Socialist Party .....	5
James M. Curley, of Boston, Democratic .....	261
Ernest L. Dodge, of Beverly, Socialist Labor .....	2
Charles Flaherty, of Boston, Communist Party .....	0
Guy M. Gray, of Greenfield, Townsend-Social Justice .....	6
Moses H. Gulesian, of Newton, Townsend Plan .....	8
Henry Cabot Lodge, Jr., of Beverly, Republican .....	1133
Wilbur D. Moon, of Lynn, Prohibition .....	4
Thomas C. O'Brien, of Boston, The Union Party .....	36
Blanks .....	37

## CONGRESSMAN, (Fourth District).

William A. Ahearn, of Worcester, Socialist Party .....	3
Pehr G. Holmes, of Worcester, Republican .....	1136
Edward A. Ryan, of Worcester, Democratic .....	310
Blanks .....	51

## COUNCILLOR, (Seventh District).

Charles J. O'Connor, of Worcester, Democratic .....	315
Winfield A. Schuster, of Douglas, Republican .....	1109
Arthur J. Whitney, of Ashby, Socialist Party .....	6
Blanks .....	70

## SENATOR, (Fourth Worcester District).

P. Eugene Casey, of Milford, Democratic .....	441
Elmer C. Nelson, of Milford, Republican .....	1023
Blanks .....	36

## REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT.

## (Seventh Worcester District).

Gaston A. Daoust, of Northbridge, Democratic .....	311
John W. Lasell, of Northbridge, Republican .....	1124
Blanks .....	65

## REGISTER OF PROBATE AND INSOLVENCY.

## (Worcester County).

William G. Adam, of Worcester, Socialist Party .....	5
F. Joseph Donohue, of Worcester, Democratic .....	281
Leon E. Felton, of Worcester, Republican .....	1145
Blanks .....	69

## COUNTY COMMISSIONERS, (Worcester County).

Ray P. Bartlett, of Winchendon, Republican .....	906
Francis E. Cassidy, of Webster, Democratic .....	232
Earl P. Crockett, of Shrewsbury, Independent .....	22
Elbert M. Crockett, of Milford, Republican .....	1157
Toivo Hannula, of Templeton, Socialist Party .....	1
Isidore Wilfred Smith, of Leominster, Democratic .....	159
Oliver Williams, of Fitchburg, Socialist Party .....	3
Blanks .....	520

## COUNTY TREASURER, (Worcester County).

Ralph R. Kandall, of Worcester, Republican .....	1163
Alexander G. Lajoie, of Worcester, Democratic .....	271
Blanks .....	66



## QUESTION NO. 1.

Shall licenses be granted in this town for the sale therein of all alcoholic beverages (whisky, rum, gin, malt beverages, wines and all other alcoholic beverages)?

Yes .....	319
No .....	813
Blanks .....	368

## QUESTION NO. 2.

Shall licenses be granted in this town for the sale therein of wines and malt beverages (wines and beer, ale and all other malt beverages)?

Yes .....	317
No .....	780
Blanks .....	403

## QUESTION NO. 3.

Shall licenses be granted in this town for the sale therein of all alcoholic beverages in packages, so called, not to be drunk on the premises?

Yes .....	330
No .....	776
Blanks .....	394

After the reading of the foregoing by the Presiding officer the check lists which were used by the ballot clerks and checkers, together with the cancelled and unused ballots and tally sheets, were delivered into the custody of the Temporary Town Clerk.

Attest:

CLARENCE E. ARNOLD,

Temporary Town Clerk.

Hopedale, November 6, 1936.

A petition was this day received by the Temporary Town Clerk properly executed and signed, petitioning for a recount of the votes cast for Representative in General Court (7th Worcester District) at the State Election held on November 3, 1936.

The petition represented the interests of Gaston A. Daoust a candidate for that office.

Attest: CLARENCE E. ARNOLD,  
Temporary Town Clerk.

Pursuant to the petition dated November 6, 1936, from the voters of the Town of Hopedale and after due notice, the Board of Registrars met at Town House on Monday, November 9, 1936, at 6.30 o'clock in the evening and recounted the ballots cast for the office of Representative in General Court (7th Worcester District) with the following results:

Gaston A. Daoust, of Northbridge, Democratic .....	311
John W. Lasell, of Northbridge, Republican .....	1124
Blanks .....	65

A report of the recount was sent to the Secretary of the Commonwealth and each of the contestants were also notified.

Attest: CLARENCE E. ARNOLD,  
Temporary Town Clerk.

Hopedale, November 10, 1936.

This is to certify that I have, this day, appointed Mr. W. Frederic Burrill as Assistant Town Clerk and that he duly qualified for said office.

Attest: CLARENCE E. ARNOLD,  
Town Clerk.

## COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

Worcester, ss.

Northbridge, November 13, 1936.

In compliance with Sections 124 to 129 inclusive, of Chapter 54 of the General Laws, we, the Town Clerks of the Towns of Blackstone, Hopedale, Mendon, and Northbridge, which Towns comprise the seventh Worcester Representative District, this day met at the office of the Town Clerk in said Northbridge, and canvassed the return of votes in said towns for one Representative in the General Court, to be holden in Boston on the first Wednesday in January next. Said votes were returned to us as by law required, and were given in at a legal meeting held in each of said towns for that purpose, on the third day of November, A. D. 1936 and was shown by the following tabular statement:

	Blackstone	Hopedale	Mendon	Northbridge	Total
Gaston A. Daoust					
of Northbridge had .....	1411	311	130	1992	3844
John W. Lasell					
of Northbridge had .....	371	1124	437	2078	4010
Blanks .....	97	65	41	102	305
Total Vote .....	1879	1500	608	4172	8159

John W. Lasell of Northbridge in said Representative District having received the largest number of votes, was declared elected, and to him was a certificate of election issued, also a duplicate certificate sent to the Secretary of the Commonwealth as the law requires.

In Witness whereof, we the Town Clerks of Blackstone, Hopedale, Mendon, and Northbridge, have hereunto set our names this 13th day of November A. D. 1936.

Attest:

JOSEPH P. CUNNINGHAM, Town Clerk of Blackstone,  
CLARENCE E. ARNOLD, Town Clerk of Hopedale,  
EMILY L. COLEMAN, Asst. Town Clerk of Mendon.  
MARY A. WELCH, Town Clerk of Northbridge.

Attest:

CLARENCE E. ARNOLD,  
Town Clerk.

# COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

Boston, November 27, 1936.

To City and Town Clerks and Election Commissioners:

Whereas,—petitions have been filed with the State Secretary, in the interest of Leverett Saltonstall of Newton, Republican candidate for the office of Lieutenant Governor, for state-wide recounts of ballots cast at the election held November 3, 1936, for the office of Lieutenant Governor, under the provisions of General Laws, Chapter 54, Section 135, as amended; and

Whereas,—after the official tabulation of votes by the Governor and Council it appears that the difference in the number of votes cast for the two leading candidates for said office of Lieutenant Governor is less than one per cent of the total number of votes cast for such office;

Therefore it becomes my duty to, and I do hereby, order the clerk of each city and town of the Commonwealth to transmit forthwith, and said clerk shall so transmit, the envelopes containing the ballots, sealed to the registrars of the city or town who shall, without unnecessary delay, open the envelopes, recount the ballots cast for said office and determine the questions raised.

FREDERIC W. COOK,  
Secretary.

Pursuant to the order from the Secretary of the Commonwealth dated November 27th, 1936 and after due notice the Board of Registrars met at the Town House on Tuesday, December 1st, 1936 at 6.30 o'clock P. M. and recounted the ballots cast for the office of Lieutenant Governor with the following results:

Henning A. Blomen, of Cambridge, Socialist Labor ....	4
Freeman W. Follett, of Haverhill, Prohibition .....	7
Walter S. Hutchins, of Greenfield, Socialist Party .....	2
Francis E. Kelly, of Dorchester, Democratic .....	312
Leverett Saltonstall, of Newton, Republican .....	1138
Paul C. Wicks, of Greenfield, Communist Party .....	1
Blanks .....	36

An official notice of the count was sent to the Secretary of the Commonwealth.

Attest: CLARENCE E. ARNOLD,  
Town Clerk.

Hopedale, Mass., December 11, 1936.

Selectmen Charles F. Austin and William Ferguson, Constable Samuel E. Kellogg, and Town Clerk Clarence E. Arnold, met at the Draper Corporation office this day at 10.00 o'clock in the forenoon and Selectman Ferguson drew from the Juror Box the name of George W. Urquhart, Machinist, of Hazel Street, to serve as Traverse Juror at our Superior Court to be holden at Worcester for the transaction of Criminal Business on Monday the fourth day of January next at 10.00 A. M.

Attest: CLARENCE E. ARNOLD,  
Town Clerk.



## LIST OF JURORS, 1936.

NAME.	OCCUPATION.	RESIDENCE.
Roy L. Adams	Machinist	6 Peace St.
Albert H. Andrews	Machinist	119 Dutcher St.
Fred E. Andrews	Clerk	17 Union St.
C. Earl Baldwin	Toolmaker	8 Hope St.
Stanley Barrows	Packer	37 Inman St.
Sidney Beard	Machinist	3 Union St.
George A. Bruce	Clerk	70 Bancroft Pky.
Leslie C. Childs	Foreman	7 Inman St.
Julian F. Clark	Carpenter	50 Inman St.
Edwin F. Clarridge	Mason	39 Daniels St.
Benjamin J. Davenport	Auto Mechanic	15 Park St.
Harold W. Dunlap	Shuttle Worker	17 Hopedale St.
J. Harold Durgin	Merchant	120 Dutcher St.
Walter F. Durgin	Chauffeur	105 Green St.
Charles H. Earnsby	Machinist	38 Bancroft Pky.
Raymond J. Gaffney	Machinist	147 Hopedale St.
Lewis E. Gaskill	Laborer	383 So. Main St.
Norman S. Henry	Farmer	200 Dutcher St.
Alfred C. Hixon	Assembler	126 Freedom St.
George E. Kent	Machinist	178 Hopedale St.
William H. Knight	Farmer	93 Hopedale St.
Charles H. Knights	Plumber	374 So. Main St.
John M. MacLauchlan	Clerk	8 Mendon St.
Fred E. Mason	Machinist	10 Progress St.
Hugh E. Nulty	Machinist	96 Hopedale St.
Joseph A. Palmer	Laborer	7 Cemetery St.
Arthur J. Sloane	Machinist	42 Inman St.
Frank E. Stover	Machinist	108 Mill St.
Walter E. Taylor	Pattern Maker	26 Dutcher St.
Clifton C. Tracy	Machinist	3 Lake St.
George Urquhart	Watchman	Hazel St.
Roy A. Weaver	Shuttle Worker	36 Progress St.
Roy C. Williams	Machinist	112 Freedom St.
James H. Young	Machinist	12 Cemetery St.

## JURORS DRAWN.

Walter F. Durgin	Traverse Juror	Feb. 25, 1936
Benjamin J. Davenport	Traverse Juror	August 17, 1936
Edwin F. Clarridge	Traverse Juror	Sept. 22, 1936

## DOG LICENSES ISSUED.

198 Male. 40 Female. Amount sent to County Treasurer, \$540.00, of which amount \$422.28 was returned to the town.

## SPORTING LICENSES ISSUED.

Resident Fishing .....	61
Resident Hunting .....	87
Resident Sporting .....	71
Resident Sporting Free of Charge .....	12
Resident Women and Minor Fishing .....	17
Resident Citizen Trapping .....	4
Duplicate .....	2

## VITAL STATISTICS.

Parents and others are requested to carefully examine the following lists and if any errors or omissions are discovered report them at once to the town clerk, that the record may be corrected, as it is of importance that the record of Vital Statistics should be complete. Herewith are extracts from the General Laws of Massachusetts, Chapter 46.

Section 3. Every physician, or hospital medical officer registered under Section nine of Chapter one hundred and twelve, in this chapter called officer, shall keep a record of the birth of every child in cases of which he was in charge, showing date and place of birth, the name, if any, of the child, its sex and color, the name, age, birthplace, occupation and residence (including the street number, if any) of each parent, the maiden name of the mother and the name of the physician or officer, if any, personally attending the birth. If the child is illegitimate, the name of and other facts relating to the father shall not be set forth except upon written request of both the father and mother. Said physician or officer shall, within fifteen days after such birth, mail or deliver to the clerk or register of the town where such birth occurred, a report stating the facts herein above required to be shown on said record and also the said written request, if any; provided, that if said report is not so made within forty-eight hours after such birth, said physician or officer shall, within said forty-eight hours, mail or deliver to said clerk, or registrar a notice stating the date and place of the birth, the street number, if any, the ward number, if in a city, and the family name. Upon presentation to him of a certificate of the town clerk stating that any such birth has been duly reported, the town treasurer shall pay to such physician or officer a fee of twenty-five cents for each birth so reported. Any physician or any such officer violating any provision of this section shall forfeit not more than twenty-five dollars.

Section 4. A member or servant of a family in which a child is born, having knowledge of the facts required for record relative to such births, shall furnish the same upon request of the clerk of the town where such child was born or its parents reside, or of any person authorized by him. Such member or servant refusing to furnish such facts shall be punished by fine not exceeding ten dollars.

Section 6. Parents, within forty days after the birth of a child, and every householder, within forty days after a birth in his house, shall cause notice thereof to be given to the clerk of the town where such child is born. Every householder in whose house a death occurs and the oldest next of kin of a deceased person in the town where the death occurs shall, within five days thereafter, cause notice thereof to be given to the board of health.

Blanks can be obtained on application to the town clerk.

CLARENCE E. ARNOLD,

Town Clerk.

## MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN 1936.

DATE		NAME	RESIDENCE	AGE	MARRIAGE	BY WHOM AND WHERE MARRIED
1936						
Feb.	8	Edgar P. Brouillard	Woonsocket, R.I.	22	1st	Rev. John P. Donahue
		Laura B. Deragon	Hopedale	17	1st	Hopedale, Mass.
Feb.	25	William E. Oliver	Franklin	25	1st	George S. Bent, J.P.
		Gertrude M. McCauley	Hopedale	25	1st	Medway, Mass.
Mar.	31	Nicholas J. Zickella	Framingham	22	1st	Rev. Louis J. Zuliani
		Filamena D'Alio	Hopedale	16	1st	Milford, Mass.
Apr.	19	Mario V. Moscatelli	Framingham	23	1st	Rev. Pietro Maschi
		Lucy D'Alio	Hopedale	18	1st	Framingham, Mass.
May	1	Eino W. Nixon	Milford	29	1st	Rev. G. Edgar Wolfe
		Shirley A. Kimball	Hopedale	20	1st	Milford, Mass.
May	9	Kenneth E. Sanderson	Hopedale	23	1st	Rev. G. Edgar Wolfe
		Bertha L. Jones	Milford	20	1st	Milford, Mass.
May	9	Leon E. Deiana	Hopedale	24	1st	Rev. Richard Murphy
		Mary F. Wisnowski	Uxbridge	22	1st	Uxbridge, Mass.
June	20	Alfred J. Gattozzi	Milford	27	1st	Rev. Louis J. Zuliani
		Frances R. Belforti	Hopedale	25	1st	Milford, Mass.
June	27	Thomas Stevens	Hopedale	31	1st	Charles W. Gould, J.P.
		Marion G. Hickox	Northbridge	24	1st	Milford, Mass.
July	25	Gordon P. Ray	Milford	25	1st	Rev. R. B. Wintersteen
		Arlene E. Seville	Hopedale	20	1st	Hopedale, Mass.
Sept.	5	Edward Roukema	Northbridge	21	1st	Chester Woodbury, J.P.
		Edna Saunders	Hopedale	19	1st	Salem, N. H.
Sept.	6	Edward J. Paradiso	Milford	23	1st	Rev. John P. Donahue
		Ruth M. Meade	Hopedale	23	1st	Hopedale, Mass.
Sept.	12	John Wiggins	Hopedale	26	1st	Rev. C. Leslie Glenn
		Jeanne L. Sargeant	Cambridge	24	1st	Cambridge, Mass.
Oct.	10	Benjamin Francis	Hopedale	58	2nd	Rev. Vernon H. Deming
		Mary H. Ingham	Milford	53	2nd	No. Attleboro, Mass.
Oct.	14	Robert H. Smith	Hopedale	28	1st	Rev. George Hale Reed
		Velma S. Kelley	Winchester	23	1st	Winchester, Mass.
Oct.	17	Joseph Castagnaro	Hopedale	29	1st	Rev. John Galden
		Winifred B. Crowley	Milford	25	1st	Milford, Mass.
Oct.	24	Arvid H. Soderberg	Hopedale	31	1st	Rev. Philip J. Keaney
		Clara E. Cruise	Franklin	26	1st	Franklin, Mass.
Nov.	28	Austin B. Osgood	Hopedale	25	1st	Rev. JB H. Tegarden
		Mary R. Frost	Dover	25	1st	Dover, Mass.
Dec.	12	George F. Parker, Jr.	Hopedale	24	1st	Rev. JB H. Tegarden
		Marianna Noyes	Northbridge	24	1st	Northbridge, Mass.
Dec.	19	Edward R. St. Laurent	Northbridge	18	1st	Rev. R. C. Westenberg
		Ethel Heron	Hopedale	19	1st	Uxbridge, Mass.



## BIRTHS REGISTERED IN 1936.

DATE	NAME	PARENTS
1936		
Jan. 7	Allen Roger Tuten	James M. and Ruth (Sammons)
Feb. 1	Gordon Harold Midgley	Harold W. and Maud (Newton)
Feb. 6	Wayne Alvin Kearsley	Richard and Mabel (Hedberg)
Feb. 20	Robert Lewis Taylor	Lee P. and Nettie (Hartling)
Feb. 27	Stanislaw Jan Malinowski	Florijan and Edwina (Hepke)
Mar. 1	David Stevens	Clayton and Eleanor (Harmon)
Mar. 9	James Horace Beaudet	Horace H. and Gladys M. (Olmstead)
Mar. 13	Stillborn	
Mar. 20	Robert Edwards Barrows	Stanley E. and Sadie L. (Wrenn)
Apr. 10	Leonard Stanislaus Wojnoski	Leonard and Stella (Marchewka)
Apr. 19	Dorothy Patricia Scahill	James and Sarah M. (Norton)
Apr. 28	Ruth Marie Hoberg	Carl F. and Irene (Parsons)
May 23	Bettha Joan Cooper	Francis S. and Lavenia N. (Hawes)
June 15	Frank Ceramicoli	Aldo and Clara (Lombardi)
June 16	Bradanic	John M. and Jennie B. (Taylor)
July 3	Gene Francis Cox	Merrill L. and Cecile D. (Durgin)
July 8	Shirley Ann Viens	Elzear and Antoinette (Carreau)
Aug. 16	Elaine Joy Gibson	Ernest J. and Winifred (Wilson)
Aug. 24	Dennis Lemonthe	Dionnes and Lucetta (Lambert)
Sept. 1	James Byron Lutz	James E. and Dorothy A. (Atkinson)
Sept. 3	Ursula Ann Markham	Edgar J. and May C. (Kilcline)
Oct. 16	Marjorie Olive Fetting	Alfred and Helen (Dowden)

## DEATHS REGISTERED IN 1936.

DATE 1936		NAME OF DECEASED	AGE			CAUSE OF DEATH	PLACE OF BIRTH
			Y	M	D		
Jan.	27	Nora G. Donovan	60	10	25	Arteriosclerosis	Milford, Mass.
Jan.	31	Edward L. Chichester	80	11	16	Cerebral Hemorrhage	New York, N. Y.
Feb.	21	Chloe M. Goldthwaite	77	10	19	Mitral Stenosis	Milford, Mass.
Mar.	13	Stillborn					
Mar.	18	Olive M. Loukes	23	8		Lobar Pneumonia	Hopedale, Mass.
Mar.	19	Elena Parker	51			Myocarditis	Milford, Mass.
Mar.	28	Susan Scriven	77		27	Chronic Myocarditis	England
Mar.	30	Annie C. Draper	62	2		Cerebral Hemorrhage	Williamstown, Mass.
Apr.	1	Mabel I. Anderson	32	2	24	Strangulation by Hanging	Milford, Mass.
Apr.	11	Everett E. Bennett	53	7	30	Arteriosclerosis	Bellingham, Mass.
Apr.	18	Henry Lloyd	69	10	15	Lobar Pneumonia	England
Apr.	20	Arthur F. Baker	54	10	29	Chronic Intestinal Nephritis	Passaic, N. J.
May	1	Francis C. Smith	29	1	14	Tuberculosis Meletus	Waltham, Mass.
May	4	George Ramme	24			Accidental Drowning	Sterling, Mass.
May	18	Helen N. Roberts	69			Coronary Thrombosis	Franklin, Maine
June	15	Frank Cerimicoli	1			Hydrocephalus Spina Bifida	Milford, Mass.
June	17	Bradanic	14			Premature Birth	Hopedale, Mass.
June	26	Olympe Y. Nobs	86	7	28	Cerebral Hemorrhage	Switzerland
July	5	Frank Edmands	62		6	Hyperthyroidism	Saugus, Mass.
July	21	Ellen F. Mason	84	1	7	Carcinoma of Intestine	Medway, Mass.
Aug.	21	Lizzie I. Tucker	76	10	30	Myocarditis	Blue Hill, Maine
Sept.	2	Arthur C. Badger	63			Carcinoma of Stomach	Wellesley Hills, Mass.
Sept.	3	John H. Hannigan	62	1		Arteriosclerosis	Milford, Mass.
Sept.	4	Lucille V. Rowe	3	11	20	Tdosyncrasy	Hopedale, Mass.
Sept.	21	Fred W. Wilbur	75	5	21	Chronic Myocarditis	Warwick, Mass.
Oct.	5	Arthur F. O'Keefe	59	7	20	Subacute Myocarditis	Milford, Mass.
Oct.	26	Fred C. Townsend	63	5	10	Chronic Myocarditis	N. Brunswick, Can.
Oct.	27	Viola E. Mann	45	10	24	Carcinoma	Hopkinton, Mass.
Oct.	30	Henry Markham	70			Chronic Nephritis	Milford, Mass.
Nov.	15	George B. Arnold	68		2	Diabetes Meletus	So. Manchester, Conn.
Nov.	22	George F. Mathews	70	4	23	Coronary Thrombosis	Worcester, Mass.
Nov.	27	Winchester Smith	31	8	11	Arteriosclerosis	Salem, Mass.
Nov.	27	Papal Dosdourian	43	6	24	Coronary Thrombosis	Armenia
Dec.	20	Mary L. Mellen	60	11	6	Cerebral Hemorrhage	Grafton, Mass.
Dec.	23	Ernest J. Gibson	36	2	30	Septicemia	N. Brunswick, Can.

## TREASURER'S REPORT, 1936.

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ALFRED A. LOVEJOY, JR., TREASURER, in account with  
THE TOWN OF HOPEDALE.

### RECEIPTS CLASSIFIED.

#### Collector of Taxes:

Real and personal 1935 .....	\$543 12
Motor Vehicle Excise Tax 1935 .....	86 62

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\$629 74

Real and personal 1936 .....	\$87,947 38
Poll Tax 1936 .....	1,969 79
Motor Vehicle Excise Tax 1936 .....	6,121 87
Sewer Assessment 1936 .....	360 00

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\$96,399 04    \$97,028 78

#### Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

##### Taxes:

Income Tax .....	\$11,265 34
Corporation Tax .....	65,529 98

##### Miscellaneous State Taxes:

##### Board of Health, Division of

Tuberculosis .....	\$398 57
Old Age Assistance .....	2,391 46
Race Track Distribution .....	555 21
Old Age Assistance, U. S. Grant (Assistance) .....	1,501 62
Old Age Assistance, U. S. Grant (Administration) .....	50 01

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\$81,692 19    \$81,692 19

## Board of Public Welfare:

Dependent Mother's Account .....	\$1,047 00	
State Aid .....	190 00	
Temporary Aid .....	234 00	
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	\$1,471 00	\$1,471 00

## Tuition:

State Wards, (School Dept.) ....	\$1,125 42	
Vocational Training School, (School Dept.) .....	825 01	
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	\$1,950 43	\$1,950 43

## Borrowed Money:

First National Bank of Boston	\$100,000 00	\$100,000 00
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## Highway Department:

Sundries .....	\$577 58	\$577 58
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## Incidental Department:

Sundries .....	\$72 65	
Pedlar Licenses, Local and State	60 00	
Gas and Alcohol Licenses .....	2 50	
Sealer of Weights and Measures	51 91	
Dog Licenses .....	540 00	
Cancelled Insurance .....	30 81	
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	\$757 87	\$757 87

## Town Hall:

Rents Account .....	\$1,746 00	\$1,746 00
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## Public Welfare Department:

Sundries .....	\$538 33	
Trust Fund Interest .....	256 48	
Old Age Assistance .....	173 33	
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	\$968 14	\$968 14

## Cemeteries:

Trust Fund Interest (Town Cemetery) .....	\$8 82	
Trust Fund Interest (Hopedale Village Cemetery) .....	136 42	
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	\$145 24	\$145 24

## Library Department:

Fines, Sale of Books, Etc. ....	\$182 13	
Trust Fund Interest .....	2,298 86	
Dog Taxes .....	413 43	
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	\$2,894 42	\$2,894 42

## Park Department:

Trust Fund Interest .....	\$75 26	\$75 26
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## School Department:

Sundries .....	\$113 58	\$113 58
Total Receipts .....		<hr/>
		\$289,420 49
Cash Balances as of January 1, 1936		
(General Fund) .....	\$46,326 40	
War Bonus Account .....	2,410 26	
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	\$48,736 66	\$48,736 66
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Grand Total .....		\$338,157 15



**By Amounts Paid:**

School Department .....	\$50,995	21	
School Department (Vocational Training) .....	2,000	00	
Library Department .....	6,247	84	
Fire Department .....	20,475	33	
Highway Department .....	24,695	42	
Park Department .....	4,824	39	
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	\$109,238	19	\$109,238 19

**Incidental Department:**

Sundries .....	\$3,954	87	
Board of Health .....	2,217	58	
Cemetery .....	108	82	
Memorial Day .....	240	00	
Town Hall .....	2,606	41	
Police Department .....	8,693	94	
Public Welfare .....	11,247	52	
Soldier's Relief .....	1,703	33	
Insurance .....	2,568	97	
Trust Fund Interest (Hopedale Village Cemetery) .....	136	42	
General Draper High School Bonds (Matured) .....	6,000	00	
General Draper High School Interest .....	2,700	00	
Old Age Assistance .....	5,527	26	
State Aid .....	100	00	
Excise Tax Rebate .....	209	86	
Borrowed Money .....	100,000	00	
Interest on Borrowed Money ....	254	17	
Property Tax Refund .....	122	00	
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	\$148,391	15	\$148,391 15

## Taxes:

County Tax .....	\$12,132 50	
Tubercular Hospital Assessment	3,296 37	
Dog Taxes .....	540 00	
State Tax .....	11,500 00	
State Tax, Parks and Res- ervations .....	71 58	
State Tax, Veteran's Exemption	14 72	
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	\$27,555 17	\$27,555 17

Total Expenditures .....	<hr/>	\$285,184 51
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Cash Balances as of December 31,  
1936:

General Account .....	\$50,562 38	
War Bonus Account .....	2,410 26	
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	\$52,972 64	\$52,972 64

Grand Total .....	<hr/>	\$338,157 15
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SUMMARY OF APPROPRIATIONS, TRANSFERS, CASH  
RECEIPTS AND BALANCES FOR YEAR ENDING  
DECEMBER 31, 1936.

	Sundry Receipts of Depts.	Appro- priations and Transfers.	Expended.	Unexpended.
Fire Department:—				
General Account and equipment \$		\$8,500 00	\$ 8,498 51	\$ 1 49
New Hose		600 90	594 00	6 00
Brush Fires		200 00	152 82	47 18
Hydrants		4,980 00	4,980 00	
Fire Pump (new)		6,250 00	6,250 00	
Board of Public Welfare	794 81	11,256 48	11,247 52	8 96
Old Age Assistance	173 33	5,800 00	5,527 26	272 74
School Department:—				
General Account including				
Equipment	113 58	47,500 00	47,495 21	4 79
Vocational Training		2,000 00	2,000 00	
New Bus		3,500 00	3,500 00	
Library Department:—				
General Account	2,894 42	6,336 38	6,247 84	88 54
Highway Department:—				
General Account	577 58	16,000 00	15,998 86	1 14
Street Lighting		4,800 00	4,696 56	103 44
Sidewalks		4,000 00	4,000 00	
Park Department:—				
General Account	75 26	4,825 26	4,824 39	87
Incidental Department:—				
General Account	217 87	4,500 00	3,954 87	545 13
Board of Health		2,300 00	2,217 58	82 42
Town Hall	1,746 00	3,000 00	2,606 41	393 59
Police Department and				
Equipment		8,750 00	8,693 94	56 06
Insurance		3,325 00	2,568 97	756 03
Interest		300 00	254 17	45 83
Cemetery (Town)	8 82	108 82	108 82	
Cemetery (Hopedale Village)	136 42	136 42	136 42	
Maturing Bonds		6,000 00	6,000 00	
Interest on Maturing Bonds		2,700 00	2,700 00	
Memorial Day		240 00	240 00	
Borrowed Money	100,000 00	100,000 00	100,000 00	
Collector of Taxes	97,028 78	122 00	122 00	
Excise Tax rebate		209 86	209 86	
State of Mass.	83,642 62	11,586 30	11,586 30	
Dependent Mothers	1,047 00			
State Aid	190 00	100 00	1,000 00	900 00
Temporary Aid	234 00			
Soldiers' Relief		8,000 00	1,703 33	1,296 67
County Taxes				
County Tax,		12,132 50	12,132 50	
Tubercular Hospital Assessment		3,296 37	3,296 37	
Dog Taxes	540 00	540 00	540 00	
Totals,	\$289,420 49	\$289,795 39	\$285,184 51	\$ 4,610 88

Balance on hand January 1, 1936	\$48,736 66	
Total receipts for the year 1936 ....	289,420 49	
		\$338,157 15
Total Cash Disbursements .....		285,184 51
Balance in General Fund .....	\$50,562 38	
Balance in War Bonus Fund .....	2,410 26	
		\$52,972 64
Total Cash on hand January 1, 1937		\$52,972 64

# REPORT OF TRUST FUNDS

## FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1936.

### LIBRARY DEPARTMENT.

By balance from last account .....		\$57,300 34
To 9600 Chi., Milw., St. Paul and Pacific Adj. Mort. Gold Bonds, 2000 .....	\$6,960 00	
2400 Chi., Milw., St. Paul and Pacific 5% Mort. Gold Bonds, 1975 .....	2,340 00	
8000 Am. Tel. & Tel. 5's, 1960	7,776 00	
10000 Southern Ry. 4's, 1956 .....	8,315 44	
14000 Dominion of Canada, 4's, Gold Bonds, Due Oct. 1, 1960	12,286 67	
4000 B. & O. Ry. 5's, 2000 .....	4,098 53	
4000 Inter. Paper 6's, 1955 .....	4,068 50	
Deposit Milford Savings Bank ....	811 95	
1000 Govt. of Argentine 6's, 1960	998 25	
5000 B. & M. Railroad 5's, 1967	4,722 50	
2000 Lawyers Mtge. Investment Corp. 5's, of Boston, 1939 ....	1,960 00	
3000 So. Pacific Co. 3¾'s, 1946	2,962 50	
	\$57,300 34	\$57,300 34

## DETAIL OF LIBRARY TRUST FUND.

Joseph B. Bancroft, Bancroft Fund .....	\$1,095 60
Estate of Joseph B. Bancroft, Bancroft Fund .....	1,095 60
Lilla B. Bracken, Sarah M. Whipple Fund .....	1,095 60
Estate Lura B. Day, Bancroft-Day Fund .....	5,305 94
Estate Lura B. Day, Joseph B. and Sylvia W. Bancroft Fund	19,244 85
Estate Frances E. Colburn, Frances E. Colburn Fund .....	9,715 15
Estate Ruth Day Williams, Bancroft- Day Fund .....	19,747 60
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	\$57,300 34

## PUBLIC WELFARE DEPARTMENT.

By balance from last account .....	\$5,193 12
To 1000 Amer. Tel. & Tel. 5's, 1960 ....	\$972 00
1000 Southern Ry. 4's, 1956 .....	802 00
2000 Puget Sound Power & Light Co., 5½'s, 1949 .....	1,992 50
1000 Dominion of Canada 4's Gold Bonds due October 1, 1960	877 61
Deposit Milford Savings Bank .....	549 01
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	\$5,193 12 \$5,193 12

## DETAIL OF PUBLIC WELFARE DEPARTMENT TRUST FUND.

Estate Jessie Preston Draper .....	\$5,193 12
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## PARK DEPARTMENT.

By balance from last account .....		\$1,706 07
To 1000 Dominion of Canada 4's		
Gold Bonds due October 1, 1960	\$877 61	
500 Amer. Tel. & Tel. 5's, 1960 .....	486 00	
Deposit Milford Savings Bank .....	342 46	
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	\$1,706 07	\$1,706 07

## DETAIL OF PARK DEPARTMENT TRUST FUND.

William F., George A. and Eben S.	
Draper .....	\$1,706 07

## HOPEDALE VILLAGE CEMETERY.

## PERPETUAL CARE FUND.

By balance from last account .....		\$2,832 21
To 1000 Southern Ry. 4's, 1956 .....	\$802 00	
1000 Puget Sound P. & L. Co., 5½'s,		
1949 .....	996 25	
500 Amer. Tel. & Tel. 5's, 1960 .....	486 00	
Deposit Milford Savings Bank .....	547 96	
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	\$2,832 21	\$2,832 21

## DETAIL OF CEMETERY TRUST FUNDS.

Burlingame Lot .....	\$112 44
Sarah M. Whipple .....	112 44
Sally Whipple .....	112 44
Margaret Humphrey .....	281 07
Joseph B. Bancroft .....	562 15
Frank J. and Grace M. Dutcher .....	522 86
S. B. Holbrook .....	112 44
L. H. Ballou .....	224 86
Mary Draper .....	15 73
A. T. Field, account Thwing lot .....	168 64
P. W. Moody, account Lot No. 45 .....	56 21
W. G. Comstock .....	56 21
Mary J. Jacques .....	112 44
J. A. Edmands .....	112 44
George Scriven .....	73 07
George H. Cole .....	112 44
Frank H. French .....	84 33
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	\$2,832 21

## TOWN CEMETERY.

## PERPETUAL CARE FUND.

By balance from last account .....	\$294 41
To deposit Milford Savings Bank ....	\$294 41
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	\$294 41      \$294 41

## DETAIL OF TOWN CEMETERY FUNDS.

Estate of Emily Albee .....	\$83 31
Estate of Medora Whitney .....	111 10
Estate of Lewis C. Gorton .....	100 00
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	\$294 41

## SUMMARY OF ALL FUNDS.

Library Department .....	\$57,300 34
Public Welfare Department .....	5,193 12
Park Department .....	1,706 07
Hopedale Village Cemetery .....	2,832 21
Town Cemetery .....	294 41
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	\$67,326 15

## SUMMARY OF ALL INVESTMENTS.

3000 So. Pacific Co., 3¼'s Bonds, 1946	\$2,962 50
16000 Dominion of Canada, 4's Gold Bonds, 1960 .....	14,041 89
5000 B. & M. R. R. 5% Bonds, 1967....	4,722 50
2000 Lawyers' Mtge. Investment Corp. 5's, of Boston, 1939 .....	1,960 00
3000 Puget Sound P. & L. Co., 5½% Bonds, 1949 .....	2,988 75
9600 Chi., Mil., St. P. and Pacific Adj., 5% Bonds, 2000 .....	6,960 00
2400 Chi., Mil., St. P. and Pacific Mtge. 5% Bonds, 1975 .....	2,340 00
10000 Am. Tel. & Tel. 5% Bonds, 1960	9,720 00
12000 Southern Ry. 4% Bonds, 1956 ....	9,919 44
4000 B. & O. Railway 5% Bonds, 2000 .....	4,098 53
1000 Argentine Nation 6% Bonds, 1960 .....	998 25
4000 Inter. Paper 6% Bonds, 1955 ....	4,068 50
Milford Savings Bank .....	\$2,545 79
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	\$67,326 15

## INCOME FROM INVESTMENTS FOR YEAR ENDING

DECEMBER 31, 1936 .....	\$2,775 84	
Paid Library Department .....	\$2,298 86	
Paid Public Welfare Department .....	256 48	
Paid Park Department .....	75 26	
Paid Hopedale Village Cemetery .....	136 42	
Paid Incidental Department, account Town Cemetery .....	8 82	
	\$2,775 84	\$2,775 84

Respectfully submitted,

ALFRED A. LOVEJOY, JR.,

Treasurer.

# REPORT OF THE SELECTMEN

## FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1936.

### INCIDENTAL ACCOUNT.

By Appropriation .....		\$4,500 00
To Selectmen:		
Salaries .....	\$500 00	
Expenses .....	150 07	
	<hr/>	\$650 07
Treasurer:		
Salary .....	\$250 00	
Expenses .....	55 83	
	<hr/>	\$305 83
Town Clerk:		
Salary .....	\$50 00	
Expenses .....	65 47	
	<hr/>	\$115 47
Tax Collector:		
Salary .....	\$500 00	
Bond \$200.00 less		
credit of \$100.00 .....	100 00	
Expenses .....	155 05	
	<hr/>	\$755 05
Assessors:		
Salaries .....	\$250 00	
Expenses .....	450 83	
	<hr/>	\$700 83
Elections and Registrations:		
Salaries .....	\$110 00	
Expenses .....	237 95	
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Law:		
Town Counsel .....	\$500 00	
Inspection:		
Salaries .....	\$125 00	
Expenses .....	34 18	
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Auditor:		
Salary .....	\$50 00	
Sundries and Unclassified:		
Printing Town Re-		
ports .....	\$205 00	
Certification of Town		
Notes .....	18 00	
Binding 12 books of		
Town Reports .....	30 00	
Miscellaneous .....	117 49	
	<hr/>	\$370 49
Unexpended balance .....	\$545 13	
	<hr/>	\$4,500 00 \$4,500 00

## MEMORIAL DAY.

By Appropriation .....		\$240 00
To Post 22, G. A. R. ....	\$100 00	
Post 267, A. L. ....	100 00	
Spanish War Veterans .....	40 00	
	<hr/>	\$240 00 \$240 00

## POLICE.

By Appropriation .....		\$8,750 00
To Salaries .....	\$6,404 14	
Expenses .....	2,289 80	
Unexpended balance .....	56 06	
	<hr/>	\$8,750 00 \$8,750 00

## TOWN HALL.

By Appropriation .....		\$3,000 00
To Janitor Service .....	\$1,144 80	
Heating .....	931 44	
Lighting .....	225 55	
Water .....	83 43	
Sundries .....	221 19	
Unexpended balance .....	393 59	
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	\$3,000 00	\$3,000 00

## INSURANCE.

By Appropriation .....		\$3,325 00
To Orders drawn .....	\$2,568 97	
Unexpended balance .....	756 03	
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	\$3,325 00	\$3,325 00

## CEMETERIES.

By Appropriation .....		\$100 00
Trust Fund Interest .....		8 82
Orders drawn .....	\$108 82	
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	\$108 82	\$108 82

## HOPEDALE VILLAGE CEMETERY.

Interest on Trust Fund .....		\$136 42
To Orders drawn .....	\$136 42	
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	\$136 42	\$136 42

## STATE AID.

By Appropriation .....		\$1,000 00
To Orders drawn .....	\$100 00	
Unexpended balance .....	900 00	
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		\$1,000 00    \$1,000 00

## SOLDIERS' RELIEF.

By Appropriation .....		\$3,000 00
To Orders drawn .....	\$1,703 33	
Unexpended balance .....	1,296 67	
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		\$3,000 00    \$3,000 00

GENERAL DRAPER HIGH SCHOOL BONDS  
AND INTEREST.

By Appropriation .....		\$8,700 00
To Maturing Bonds .....	\$6,000 00	
Interest .....	2,700 00	
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		\$8,700 00    \$8,700 00

## INTEREST.

By Appropriation .....		\$300 00
To Interest on Borrowed Money .....	\$254 17	
Unexpended balance .....	45 83	
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		\$300 00    \$300 00

## TAXES.

State Tax .....	\$11,500 00
County Tax .....	12,132 50
Tuberculosis Hospital .....	3,296 37
State Parks and Reservation Tax .....	71 58
Dog Tax .....	540 00
Excise Tax Refunds .....	209 86
Veterans Exemption .....	14 72
Property Abatement Tax .....	122 00
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	\$27,887 03

CHARLES F. AUSTIN,  
 ASA A. WESTCOTT,  
 WILLIAM FERGUSON,

Board of Selectmen.

## REPORT OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH

### FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1936.

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By Appropriation .....	\$2,300 00	
To Vital Statistics .....	\$70 75	
Care of Patients at Tuberculosis		
Hospital .....	1,281 00	
Expense on account of isolation .....	785 42	
Sundries .....	80 41	
Unexpended balance .....	82 42	
	\$2,300 00	\$2,300 00

There were seven licenses issued to sell Milk and Cream.

CHARLES F. AUSTIN,  
ASA A. WESTCOTT,  
WILLIAM FERGUSON,  
Board of Health.

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## REPORT OF FENCE VIEWERS

### FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1936.

No complaints.

CHARLES F. AUSTIN,  
ASA A. WESTCOTT,  
WILLIAM FERGUSON,  
Fence Viewers.



REPORT OF  
THE BOARD OF PUBLIC WELFARE  
FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1936.

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By Appropriation .....	\$16,800 00
Trust Fund Interest .....	256 48

To Welfare:

Cash .....	\$2,322 00
Rent .....	462 95
Food .....	14 13
Fuel .....	364 30
Medical .....	56 61
Aid in private home .....	278 85
	<hr style="width: 10%; display: inline-block; vertical-align: middle;"/> \$3,498 84

Hopedale settlement, aided  
elsewhere:

City of Worcester .....	\$12 00
Sisters of Providence .....	15 00
City of Boston .....	64 00
Town of Northbridge .....	149 37
Comm. Mass. Div. Child Guardianship .....	261 42
Town of Ipswich .....	293 70
Town of Milford .....	2,485 33
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Mothers' Aid .....	\$4,467 86
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\$11,247 52

## To Old Age Assistance:

Cash .....	\$4,908 50
Clothing .....	1 00
Medical .....	17 85
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	\$4,927 35

Hopedale settlement, aided  
elsewhere:

City of Boston .....	\$69 25
Town of Pelham .....	93 33
Town of Bellingham .....	133 33
Town of Milford .....	304 00
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	\$599 91

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	\$5,527 26
Unexpended balance .....	281 70

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\$17,056 44 \$17,056 44

CHARLES F. AUSTIN,  
ASA A. WESTCOTT,  
WILLIAM FERGUSON,  
Board of Public Welfare.

## APPRAISEMENT OF TOWN PROPERTY

DECEMBER 31, 1936.

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Town House .....	\$80,000 00
Town House lot .....	1,000 00
Town House, store fixtures .....	100 00
Town House, post office equipment .....	1,200 00

## SCHOOLS.

School House, Hopedale Street .....	\$40,000 00
School House lot, $\frac{1}{2}$ acre .....	600 00
School House, Dutcher Street .....	70,000 00
School House lot, 1 acre .....	1,200 00
School House, Park Street .....	60,000 00
School House lot, Park Street .....	1,000 00
General Draper High School Building, Adin St. ....	120,000 00
General Draper High School lot, Adin St. ....	2,000 00
School Bus .....	1,000 00

## LIBRARY.

Bancroft Memorial Library (Building) .....	\$60,000 00
Public Library (Books and Fixtures) .....	35,000 00
Mrs. Susan Preston Draper Fountain .....	15,000 00
Library Lot .....	2,000 00

## PARK.

Band Stand, including Tools .....	\$1,500 00
Comfort Station .....	500 00
Bath House .....	4,000 00
Darling Hill Shelter .....	500 00
Fisherman's Island Shelter .....	500 00
Maroney Grove Shelter .....	500 00
Land, 262 acres .....	20,500 00

**FIRE.**

Apparatus .....	\$36,000 00
Fire Station .....	40,000 00
Fire Station lot .....	2,000 00

**POLICE.**

Oldsmobile Sedan .....	\$900 00
Buick Sedan .....	450 00
Equipment .....	250 00

**TREE WARDEN.**

Spraying Outfit .....	\$500 00
Small Tools and Materials .....	100 00

**HIGHWAY PROPERTY.**

Five Snow Plows .....	\$50 00
Small Tools .....	200 00
Buildings and Land .....	2,000 00
Road Machine .....	50 00
Sweeper .....	25 00
Steam Roller .....	750 00
Tractor and Two Plows .....	500 00
Sidewalk Tractor and Plow .....	1,200 00
3 Ton Auto Truck and Equipment .....	2,500 00
3 Ton Auto Truck and Equipment .....	500 00
1 Ton Int. Truck .....	100 00

CHAS. F. AUSTIN,  
ASA A. WESTCOTT,  
WILLIAM FERGUSON,

Selectmen of Hopedale.

## ROAD COMMISSIONERS' REPORT

### FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1936.

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General Appropriation, Maintenance and Equipment .....	\$16,000 00
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#### Expenditures:

##### Labor—General:

Supervision .....	\$1,735 39
Repairs to Streets, Roads, etc. ....	1,418 57
Cleaning and Sanding Streets .....	1,732 51
Snow Removal .....	1,142 08
Cleaning Yard .....	172 08
Jobbing .....	115 92
Bridge Repairs .....	93 37
Truck Repairs .....	51 17
Mowing Brush .....	43 20
Tree Belt .....	110 30
Steam Roller Repairs .....	36 00
Clean Up After Storm .....	336 86
	\$6,987 45

##### Material, Supplies, Etc.:

Tarvia .....	\$157 20
Trap Rock, etc. ....	119 76
Sand and Gravel .....	347 11
Bridge Repairs .....	138 82
Snow Plow Repairs .....	27 16
Tractor Repairs .....	161 40
Steam Roller Repairs .....	73 39
Small Tools and Supplies .....	675 88
	\$1,700 72



**Trucks and Maintenance:**

Gasoline and Oil .....	\$1,118 71	
Tires and Chains .....	730 57	
Repairs, Supplies, etc. ....	403 13	
Registrations .....	10 00	
	<hr/>	\$2,262 41

**General Expense:**

Telephone, Lights, Water, Etc. ....	\$89 18	
Sewer Fee .....	180 00	
Clerical .....	50 00	
	<hr/>	\$319 18

**Trees, Spraying, Trimming, Etc.:**

Labor .....	\$1,003 19	
Material .....	225 75	
	<hr/>	\$1,228 94

**Freedom Street Corner and to Bridge:**

Labor .....	\$378 51	
Material .....	708 16	
	<hr/>	\$1,086 67

**Freedom Street-Progress Street to Mendon Town Line:**

Labor .....	\$133 63	
Material .....	885 96	
	<hr/>	\$1,019 59

**Green Street Repairs:**

Labor .....	\$167 26	
Material .....	1,226 64	
	<hr/>	\$1,393 90

Total Expenditures .....	\$15,998 86	
Balance Unexpended .....	1 14	

## New Sidewalks:

General Appropriation .....	\$4,000 00
Labor and Supervision .....	\$2,208 23
Material .....	1,791 77
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	\$4,000 00
Balance Unexpended .....	00

## Street Lighting:

General Appropriation .....	\$4,800 00
Electric Current Service .....	4,696 56
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Balance Unexpended .....	\$103 44

Respectfully submitted,

G. RUSSELL GOFF,  
 THOMAS H. WEST, 3RD,  
 RAYMOND SMETHURST,

Road Commissioners.

During the year the Town Treasurer reports receipts from materials sold and charges to others for labor and materials furnished by the Highway Department, as follows:

Miscellaneous .....	\$577 58
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# REPORT OF THE ENGINEERS OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1936.

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By Appropriation .....		\$8,500 00
To Pay Roll .....	\$6,069 80	
Fuel .....	637 38	
Water .....	120 89	
Lights .....	102 24	
Alarm .....	396 70	
Telephone .....	124 80	
Apparatus .....	562 02	
Sundries .....	484 68	
Unexpended balance .....	1 49	
	\$8,500 00	\$8,500 00

## HOSE.

By Appropriation .....		\$600 00
To Portland Rubber Company .....	\$315 00	
C. B. Hardy Company .....	279 00	
Unexpended balance .....	6 00	
	\$600 00	\$600 00

## BRUSH FIRES.

By Appropriation .....		\$200 00
To Pay of Firemen .....	\$115 50	
Draper Corp. (Gasoline) .....	37 32	
Unexpended balance .....	47 18	
	\$200 00	\$200 00

## HYDRANTS.

By Appropriation .....		\$4,980 00
To Milford Water Company .....	\$4,980 00	
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	\$4,980 00	\$4,980 00

## NEW PUMPER.

By Appropriation .....		\$6,250 00
To Ahrens Fox Fire Engine Company	\$6,207 27	
Carlow Auto Company .....	42 73	
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	\$6,250 00	\$6,250 00

## ROSTER OF FIRE DEPARTMENT.

1936.

## BOARD OF ENGINEERS.

Samuel E. Kellogg, Chief.

Fred G. Crockett, Deputy Chief.

W. E. Whitney, Deputy Chief.

Clerk for Engineers—Wm. Ferguson.

## MEMBERS.

## Ladder No. 1.

J. J. Grant, Captain	Henry J. Cyr
A. J. Howarth, Lieutenant	Davis Sanborn
C. E. Barrows, Clerk	
R. Sadler	Substitutes.
D. Lescoe	Harold G. Taft
S. Barrows	Gustave Safstrom

## Combination No. 1.

W. E. Taylor, Captain	William E. Bird
M. F. Doxey, Lieutenant	Roy A. Weaver
Geo. A. Fuller, Clerk-Treas.	Everett D. Coffin
Fred Lee	Substitutes.
Asa H. Jones	Carl H. Carlson
Norman L. Downing	Oscar E. Mathewson

## Chemical No. 1.

G. P. Shepherd, Capt.-Treas.	A. J. Clements
Charles Young, Lieut.-Clerk	F. L. Hammond
John Byrne	Substitutes.
N. B. Cox	W. A. Shanahan
J. J. Creamer	Peter P. Allen
Howard E. Whitney	D. E. Hazard

## Caretakers.

Charles A. Watson	Harold W. Ward	Gordon O. Loukes
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## Spare Drivers.

M. J. Creamer	N. B. Cox
J. J. Creamer	M. F. Doxey
G. A. Fuller	F. L. Hammond

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 RECORD OF FIRES

1936.

Jan.	1.	1.45 P. M.	Still	Henry Patrick estate, 109 Hopedale St.
Jan.	19.	1.30 P. M.	Still	Residence John Turner, 12 Progress St.
Jan.	25.	8.30 A. M.	Still	Residence Joseph C. Alves, 27 Cemetery St.
Feb.	3.	5.15 P. M.	Still	Foundry, Draper Corp.

Feb.	12.	4.20	P. M.	Still	Call from Bellingham
Mar.	5.	1.45	P. M.	Still	Residence Charles Gaffney, 127 Mendon St.
Mar.	9.	10.25	A. M.	Still	Residence Mr. Lester H. McCully, 72 Bancroft Pk
Mar.	15.	11.50	A. M.	Still	Grass fire near Cemetery St.
Apr.	4.	3.05	P. M.	Still	Brush fire, Mill St.
Apr.	23.	3.55	P. M.	Still	Brush fire, Park land
Apr.	24.	3.00	P. M.	Still	Brush fire, So. Main St.
Apr.	24.	5.30	P. M.	Still	Brush fire, eight rod road
Apr.	25.	11.00	A. M.	Still	Brush fire, rear B.H.B. Draper, Jr's. residence
Apr.	27.	4.05	P. M.	Still	Call to Mendon brush fire
Apr.	27.	4.30	P. M.	House Call	Brush fire, near Mellen St.
Apr.	27.	5.10	P. M.	Still	Brush fire, near Mellen St.
Apr.	28.	5.05	P. M.	Still	Brush fire, rear of Freedom St. Dump
May	6.	11.25	A. M.	Still	Residence A. E. Bonin, 18 Prospect St.
May	7.	4.45	P. M.	Still	Brush fire, rear residence Mrs. H.H. Townshend on William St.
May	10.	5.50	P. M.	Still	Brush fire rear of Garages on Prospect St.
May	18.	9.15	P. M.	House Call	Call to Mendon, Unitarian Church
May	18.	9.20	P. M.	Still	Residence L. Lancisi, 133 Mendon St.
May	21.	11.50	A. M.	Still	Brush fire, near Hope-dale Sewer Beds
May	23.	4.40	P. M.	Still	Grass fire, near Mellen St.



May	30.	8.00 P. M.	Still	Remove horse from ditch on Thomas St.
June	6.	1.45 P. M.	Still	Grass fire, So. Main St.
June	21.	9.00 P. M.	Still	Automobile, on Mendon St.
June	26.	5.25 P. M.	Still	Brush fire, So. Main St.
July	3.	5.25 P. M.	Still	R.R. ties, G. & U. R.R., Water St.
July	3.	9.45 P. M.	Still	Tree, Hopedale Corner
July	3.	10.50 P. M.	Still	Push Cart, on Green St.
July	4.	1.55 A. M.	Still	R.R. ties and brush, G. & U. R.R., Hopedale St.
July	4.	10.15 P. M.	Still	Brush fire, Highland St.
July	26.	11.00 A. M.	Still	Chimney fire, residence F. A. Shippee, 7 Highland St.
July	29.	11.20 A. M.	Still	Dump fire, rear residence E. D. Bancroft estate on Adin St.
July	30.	8.40 A. M.	Still	Rescued horse that had broken through barn floor; owner Frank Wal-lentuck, Hartford Ave.
Aug.	4.	5.40 P. M.	Still	Hope St. Bridge
Oct.	20.	8.40 A. M.	Still	Residence W.H. Barney, 37 Adin St.
Oct.	31.	8.30 P. M.	Still	Leaves on Dutcher St.
Oct.	31.	9.20 P. M.	Still	Leaves, corner Peace and Dutcher Sts.
Nov.	18.	6.50 A. M.	House Call	Call to Milford, Al-hambra Block
Nov.	18.	1.02 P. M.	Still	Brush fire, rear Garages on Prospect St.
Nov.	19.	9.15 A. M.	Still	Brush fire, rear resi-dence Mr. B.H.B. Dra-per, Jr., on Adin St.

Nov.	19.	1.00 P. M.	Still	Residence F. M. Wilson, 167 Dutcher St.
Nov.	21.	2.55 P. M.	Still	Rear of Garages on Progress St.
Nov.	23.	7.55 P. M.	Still	Chimney fire, residence Clayton Wright, 221 So. Main St.
Nov.	26.	3.55 P. M.	Still	Residence C. W. Wheeler, 30 Prospect St.
Nov.	29.	10.00 P. M.	Still	Residence E. Coffin, 112 Jones Road
Nov.	30.	9.15 P. M.	Still	Chimney fire, Brae Burn Inn
Dec.	19.	10.00 P. M.	Still	Boy broke through ice on Hopedale Pond
Dec.	24.	5.25 P. M.	Still	Freedom St. Dump
Dec.	30.	7.10 P. M.	Still	Residence E. Hancock, 65 Bancroft Pk.

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### PROPERTY.

Combination No. 1 .....	\$12,000 00
Combination No. 2 .....	6,250 00
Chemical No. 1 .....	2,000 00
Ladder Truck .....	4,000 00
Forest Fire Truck .....	500 00
Fire Alarm Telegraph .....	5,500 00
Hose (7000 feet in good condition) .....	5,000 00
Extinguishers, supplies, etc. ....	500 00

1936.

## HOPEDALE FIRE ALARM TELEGRAPH SYSTEM.

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**Box.**

- 25. Draper Corp. Yard—Shipping Platform.
- 26. Hopedale Street—Opposite Union.
- 27. Dutcher Street—Central Station.
- 32. Union Street—Corner Prospect.
- 33. Dutcher Street—Corner Freedom.
- 35. Northrop Street—Corner Freedom.
- 36. Northrop Street—Between Park and Oak Streets.
- 37. Dutcher Street—Corner Dennett.
- 38. Dutcher Street—Opposite F. E. Douglas'.
- 39. Dutcher Street—Opposite C. E. Nutting's.
- 42. Bancroft Park—West Side.
- 43. Lake Street—South Side.
- 45. Freedom Street—West of Bridge.
- 46. Hope Street—Near Coal & Ice Co. Office.
- 53. Hopedale Street—Corner Adin.
- 57. Adin Street—Opposite E. S. Draper's.
- 58. Daniels Street—Corner Highland.
- 59. Mendon Street—Near Highland Street.
- 62. Mendon Street—Corner Hopedale.
- 64. Westcott's Mills—Spindleville.
- 65. Mendon Street—Corner Hill.
- 72. Blanchard's Corner, South Hopedale (Tel. Box).
- 74. Green Store, South Hopedale (Tel. Box).

**SIGNALS.**

- 1 Blast—Chief of Department or Squad Call.
- 2 Blasts—All Out, or Recall.
- 8 Blasts—Forest Fire, or House Call.

Box Test Saturdays at 5.30 P. M.—One Round.

Phones: Central Station ..... 670  
           Chief ..... 248-W

S. E. KELLOGG,  
 F. G. CROCKETT,  
 W. E. WHITNEY,  
 Board of Fire Engineers.

## ASSESSORS' REPORT

FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1936.

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Valuation of Real Estate excluding land .....	\$2,216,930 00
Valuation of Real Estate excluding buildings ....	350,579 00
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Total Valuation of Real Estate .....	\$2,567,509 00
Valuation of Personal Estate .....	2,031,606 00
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Total Valuation .....	\$4,599,115 00
 Tax Rate per \$1000 .....	\$30 50
Tax on Property .....	\$140,274 44
 Number of Polls Assessed	988
Tax on each Poll .....	\$2 00
Tax on Polls .....	\$1,976 00
 Committed on 1935 Motor Vehicle Excise Tax at \$33.06 per \$1000 .....	   \$16 93
 Committed on 1936 Motor Vehicle Excise Tax at \$33.38 per \$1000 .....	   \$6,173 50
 Total amount raised by Taxation	 \$148,440 87
Corporation Tax, Business, 1936	65,529 98
Income Tax, 1936 .....	11,265 34
Old Age Assistance Tax .....	2,391 46
Race Track Distribution .....	555 21
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	\$228,182 86

Number of persons assessed on property .....	625
Number of polls assessed .....	988
Number of horses assessed .....	10
Number of cows assessed .....	82
Number of neat cattle assessed .....	23
Number of swine assessed .....	11
Number of fowl assessed .....	2690
Number of dwelling houses assessed .....	583
Acres of land assessed .....	2905
Population .....	3059

GEO. W. LUNT,  
 WARREN W. DUTCHER,  
 A. D. JOHNSON,

Assessors.

## COLLECTOR'S REPORT.

FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1936.

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### 1935 TAXES.

#### MOTOR VEHICLE EXCISE.

To uncollected at last report .....	\$62 72	
Additonal commitment .....	16 93	
Abated after payment, refunded .....	3 19	
Interest collected .....	1 02	
Fees collected .....	5 95	
By Cash paid A. A. Lovejoy, Jr.,		
Treasurer .....		\$86 62
Taxes abated .....		3 19
	<hr/>	
	\$89 81	\$89 81

#### REAL ESTATE, PERSONAL ESTATE AND POLL.

To uncollected at last report .....	\$633 12	
Interest collected .....	7 15	
Fees collected .....	2 60	
By cash paid A. A. Lovejoy, Jr.,		
Treasurer .....		\$543 12
Taxes abated .....		99 75
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	\$642 87	\$642 87

### 1936 TAXES.

#### REAL ESTATE, PERSONAL ESTATE AND POLL.

To Committed for Collection .....	\$142,250 44
Interest collected .....	11 67
Fees collected .....	20 65



Abated after payment, refunded	122 00	
By cash paid A. A. Lovejoy, Jr.,		
Treasurer .....		\$89,917 17
Taxes abated .....		52,175 19
Uncollected .....		312 40
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	\$142,404 76	\$142,404 76

## MOTOR VEHICLE EXCISE.

To Committed for Collection .....	\$6,173 50	
Abated after payment, refunded	206 67	
Interest collected .....	7 98	
Fees collected .....	43 05	
By Cash paid A. A. Lovejoy, Jr.,		
Treasurer .....		\$6,121 87
Taxes abated .....		296 33
Uncollected .....		13 00
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	\$6,431 20	\$6,431 20

## SEWER ASSESSMENTS.

To Committed for Collection .....	\$360 00	
By Cash paid A. A. Lovejoy, Jr.,		
Treasurer .....		\$360 00
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	\$360 00	\$360 00

EUGENE S. NEWHALL,

Collector.

REPORT OF INSPECTOR OF ANIMALS  
FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1936.

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Hopedale, Mass., Dec. 31, 1936.

TO THE BOARD OF SELECTMEN, HOPEDALE, MASS.:—

Gentlemen:—

I submit to you my report for the year as Inspector. I have inspected all cattle and swine, and the premises where the same are kept, and my report for the year 1936 sent to the State.

Respectfully submitted,

MILTON F. DOXEY,

Inspector of Animals.

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REPORT OF  
INSPECTOR OF SLAUGHTERING  
FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1936.

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Hopedale, Mass., Dec. 31, 1936.

TO THE BOARD OF SELECTMEN, HOPEDALE, MASS.:—

Gentlemen:—

I submit to you my report as Inspector of Slaughtering. Have had no inspections to make this year.

Respectfully submitted,

MILTON F. DOXEY,

Inspector of Slaughtering.

# REPORT OF SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1936.

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I have tested and sealed the following scales, weights and measures:

- 12 Platform scales over 5,000 lbs.
- 31 Platform scales under 5,000 lbs.
- 10 Computing scales.
- 4 Counter scales.
- 2 Beam scales.
- 6 Spring scales over 100 lbs.
- 7 Spring scales under 100 lbs.
- 1 Apothecary scale.
- 218 Weights.
- 22 Liquid measures.
- 3 Yard sticks.
- 14 Measuring pumps.
- 2 Balance counters.

I have adjusted the following:

- 5 Platform scales over 5,000 lbs.
- 11 Platform scales under 5,000 lbs.

I have inspected:

- 24 Milk wagons and trucks.
- 17 Oil trucks.
- 3 Oil Tanks (1 240 gal., 2 320 gal.)
- 3 Junk wagons.
- 116 Pedlers' licenses.
- 2 Gasoline meters.

I have collected in fees and turned over to the Town Treasurer, \$51.89.

Respectfully submitted,

LEWIS W. BARROWS,

Sealer of Weights and Measures.

THIRTY-EIGHTH ANNUAL REPORT  
OF  
PARK COMMISSIONERS  
FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1936.

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The Board of Park Commissioners feel that the Townspeople will be interested in the following attendance record at the Bathhouse during the Summer of 1936. The careful supervision of the children readily assisted in establishing confidence in the parents which was reflected in the record attendance given below.

Number taught and passed in the Red Cross Tests:

Beginners .....	53
Swimmers .....	34
Senior Life Savers .....	10
Junior Life Savers .....	9
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	106

The total attendance for the Summer was 11,303, divided as follows:

Girls .....	6,749
Boys .....	4,554

## FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

## AVAILABLE FOR USE OF PARK DEPARTMENT.

General Appropriation .....	\$4,250 00
Additional Appropriation .....	500 00
Interest from Trust Funds .....	75 26
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	\$4,825 26

## EXPENDITURES.

## PLAYGROUNDS.

Comfort Station .....	\$26 96
Tennis Court Repairs .....	127 50
Trimming Trees .....	27 31
Fertilizer .....	224 00
Labor .....	1,212 56
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	\$1,618 33

## BATH HOUSE.

New Equipment .....	\$90 08
Repairs and Supplies .....	268 88
Labor .....	661 02
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	\$1,019 98

## PARK RESERVATION.

Roads and Paths .....	\$43 60
Teaming .....	33 39
Transplanting .....	40 32
New Construction .....	140 66
Labor .....	1,236 48
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	\$1,494 45

## ADIN BALLOU PARK.

Labor .....	\$131 56
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## ADIN STREET PARK.

Labor .....	\$115 00
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## OTHER CHARGES.

Tools .....	\$173 83
Incidentals .....	92 66
Miscellaneous Labor .....	178 58
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	\$445 07

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\$4,824 39

Unexpended balance .....	87
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\$4,825 26

Respectfully submitted,

L. MARSHALL NEWELL,  
 B. H. BRISTOW DRAPER, JR.,  
 GEORGE PIDDINGTON,

Park Commissioners.



## REPORT OF AUDITOR

### FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1936.

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I have examined and verified the financial transactions of the Town of Hopedale as recorded on the books of the several departments, and find that the disbursements are covered by paid bills which correspond with the orders drawn on, and paid by, the Town Treasurer.

The books and accounts of the Town Treasurer I have examined and checked in detail. The recorded receipts I have checked wherever possible with the sources from which money was paid to the Town Treasurer. The payments were checked with the orders authorizing the disbursement of town funds. I have verified the cash balance on hand as of December 31, 1936, by a reconciliation of the accounts with the statements furnished by the banks.

I have examined the accounts of the Tax Collector and find them to be correct. The commitments of taxes and abatements were proved and checked to the assessors' records. The amounts covering fees and interest were verified, and all payments to the Treasurer were checked to the Treasurer's Cash Book.

In accordance with Section 53 of Chapter 41 of the General Laws, as amended, I have examined and checked the securities and savings bank accounts representing the investment of the Trust Funds in the custody of the Town Treasurer, and find that they are as stated in the Town Treasurer's report on trust funds.

Respectfully submitted,

S. WALTER BATTY,

Auditor.

# SCHOOL COMMITTEE REPORT.

## FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1936.

### FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

#### AVAILABLE FOR SCHOOL DEPARTMENT.

Appropriation ..... \$47,500 00 \$47,500 00

#### EXPENDITURES.

Supervision .....	\$3,170 85
Expenses of supervision .....	109 45
Teaching .....	29,758 41
Textbooks .....	1,053 41
Stationery and supplies .....	1,384 06
Incidentals, school lunches .....	294 32
Janitor service .....	3,434 40
Fuel .....	3,038 58
Janitor's supplies, water, electricity ....	1,380 81
Repairs .....	1,366 51
School physician and nurse .....	800 00
Transportation .....	1,346 14
Miscellaneous expenses, graduation, etc. ....	148 77
New equipment .....	209 50
Unexpended .....	4 79

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\$47,500 00 \$47,500 00

#### SCHOOL BUS.

Appropriation .....	\$3,500 00
Expended .....	3,500 00

## RECEIPTS.

The Town Treasurer has received either directly or indirectly from the School Department, the following receipts:

School lunches .....	\$108 35
Telephone calls, materials sold .....	5 23
Tuition of State Wards .....	1,125 42
Partial reimbursement for amounts paid to teachers and superintendent for year ending June 30, 1936 .....	4,150 00
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	\$5,389 00

## VOCATIONAL SCHOOL TUITION.

Appropriation .....	\$2,000 00
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## EXPENDITURES.

City of Worcester .....	\$2,000 00
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Receipts on account of expenditures for Vocational School Tuition during the year ending August 31, 1935:

Commonwealth of Massachusetts .....	\$825 01
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The Commonwealth of Massachusetts, through the State Department of Education, will reimburse the Town during the year 1937 for approximately one-half of the above expenditures for tuition at Vocational Schools.

HAMILTON W. THAYER, Chairman,  
G. RUSSELL GOFF,  
JEANNE B. AMMEN,

School Committee.

## SCHOOL DIRECTORY, 1936-1937.

Superintendent of Schools: ROBERT I. BRAMHALL.

Office at High School Building, Telephone, Milford 1630.

## TEACHERS.

HIGH SCHOOL.	SUBJECT OR GRADE.	LOCAL ADDRESS.
Winburn A. Dennett, Prin.	Math. and Science	5 Dennett Street
Lucy E. Day	French and Latin	17 Daniels Street
Marshall H. Nye	History and Science	44 Bancroft Park
Lucille R. Ambler	Commercial	34 Dutcher Street
Adelaide Schneider	English	16 Dutcher Street
Ellen B. Reynolds	Household Arts	8 Mendon Street
Regina B. Anderson	Algebra and Music	39 Dutcher Street
Harriet B. Sornborger	Librarian	16 Dutcher Street
DUTCHER STREET SCHOOL.		
Charles F. Belcher, Prin.	Grade 8	45 Inman Street
Mildred E. Cressey	Grade 7	Holliston, Mass.
Lillian A. Smyth	Grade 7	Uxbridge, Mass.
Jessie L. Gover	Grade 6	19 Hopedale Street
Lillian T. Knight	Grades 5 and 6	6 So. Main St., Milford
Gladys R. Crowell	Grade 5	37 Dutcher Street
Beryl M. Rogers	Sewing	34 Mendon Street
CHAPEL STREET SCHOOL.		
Mildred A. Goodenough	Grades 3 and 4	34 Dutcher Street
Jennie E. Sherbert	Grade 2	West Medway, Mass.
Margaret L. Symonds	Kindergarten	187 Dutcher Street
Frances Westcott	Assistant, Kindergarten	Mill Street
PARK STREET SCHOOL.		
Antoinette F. Batchelor, Prin.	Grade 4	10 Mendon Street
Frances J. Legge	Grade 3	103 Mendon Street
Iona M. Crowell	Grades 1 and 2	37 Dutcher Street
Carol MacLauchlan	Grade 1	8 Mendon Street

## SPECIAL TEACHERS.

Regina B. Anderson	Music	39 Dutcher Street
Clarice E. Seagrave	Drawing	Uxbridge, Mass.

## SCHOOL PHYSICIAN AND NURSE.

Dr. K. A. Campbell	School Physician	82 Hopedale Street
Helen C. Grady, R. N.	School Nurse	219 Main Street, Milford
Mildred Salmond, R. N.	Assistant School Nurse	

School Janitors—Joseph W. Gibbs, Foreman, Tel. Milford 427-15. Ernest A. Parkinson, High School. John H. Holbrook, Dutcher and Chapel Street Schools. Joseph W. Gibbs, Park Street School.

## SCHOOL TELEPHONE CONNECTIONS.

High School, Milford 1630; Dutcher Street School, Milford 904. Park Street School, Milford 874-R.

## SCHOOL CALENDAR, 1937.

## ELEMENTARY GRADES AND JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL.

<b>First Winter Term</b>	January 4, 1937— February 26, 1937 Vacation One Week	<b>Eight Weeks</b>
<b>Second Winter Term</b>	March 8—April 23 Vacation One Week	<b>Seven Weeks</b>
<b>Spring Term</b>	May 3—June 25 Summer Vacation	<b>Eight Weeks</b>
<b>Fall Term</b>	September 8—December 17 Vacation Two Weeks	<b>Fifteen Weeks</b>
<b>First Winter Term</b>	Opens January 3, 1938	

## HIGH SCHOOL.

<b>First Winter Term</b>	January 4, 1937 February 26, 1937 Vacation One Week	<b>Eight Weeks</b>
<b>Second Winter Term</b>	March 8—April 23 Vacation One Week	<b>Seven Weeks</b>
<b>Spring Term</b>	May 3—June 25 Summer Vacation	<b>Eight Weeks</b>
<b>Fall Term</b>	September 8—December 24 Vacation One Week	<b>Sixteen Weeks</b>
<b>First Winter Term</b>	Opens January 3, 1938	

## LEGAL HOLIDAYS, 1937.

January 1, February 22, April 19, May 31, July 5,  
September 6, October 12, November 11, November 25,  
December 25.

FIFTIETH ANNUAL  
GRADUATION  
OF THE  
HOPEDALE HIGH SCHOOL  
TOWN HALL  
FRIDAY EVENING, JUNE 19, 1936  
AT EIGHT O'CLOCK

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PROGRAM.

Music—Ye Watchers and Ye Holy Ones,  
17th Century German Melody  
High School Chorus

Invocation  
Reverend JB Hollis Tegarden

Salutatory  
(a) Meditation *Nemerowski*  
(b) The Fountain *Drdla*  
Bernice Marie Scott

Class Prophecy of 1936  
Dorothy Edna Weaver

Music  
(a) Flower of Dreams *Clokey*  
(b) The Flowers o' the Forest *Robertson*  
Girls' Glee Club



Essay—La Fille Bien Elevee

Barbara Louise Smethurst

Class History of 1936

Nello Ripanti

Music

(a) Winter Song

*Bullard*

(b) Keep in the Middle of the Road *Negro Spiritual*

Boys' Glee Club

Reading—Us Angry-Saxyums

*Atlantic Monthly*

Ellsworth Henry Sears

Valedictory—Education Through Travel

Constance Louise Morton

Presentation of Diplomas

Music—Send Forth Thy Spirit

*Schuetky*

High School Chorus

Reception of the Graduating Class

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## GRADUATES

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Donald Henry Baer

Gordon Lewis Baer

Bayard Bristow Bell

Ralph Bradford Crosby

Guerino Robert Guglielmi

Lowell Knight Hammond

Phyllis Eileen Hokanson

Eben Sumner Lapworth  
 George Harrison Leas  
 George Raymond Lemon  
 Edith Evelyn Look  
 Richard Whitney Look  
 Rita Isabelle MacKinnon  
 George Willard McCallum  
 Constance Louise Morton  
 Pearl Vera Oak  
 George Everett Richardson, Jr.  
 Nello Ripanti  
 Bernice Marie Scott  
 Ellsworth Henry Sears  
 Edward Francis Shepherd  
 Barbara Louise Smethurst  
 William John Stewart, Jr.  
 Joseph William Tontini  
 John Turner, Jr.  
 Dorothy Edna Weaver  
 Edward Clayton Welch  
 Arthur Stansfield Wilson

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#### CLASS OFFICERS.

*President*—Ralph Bradford Crosby  
*Vice-President*—Dorothy Edna Weaver  
*Secretary*—Bernice Marie Scott  
*Treasurer*—Ellsworth Henry Sears  
  
*Class Motto*—Durate  
*Class Colors*—Maroon and Gold  
*Class Flower*—American Beauty Rose

GRADUATION EXERCISES  
OF THE  
HOPEDALE JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL

TOWN HALL

THURSDAY, JUNE 18, 1936

6.30 P. M.

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*Motto*—Seek Success  
*Colors*—Blue and Silver

PROGRAM.

Processional

Invocation

Rev. JB Hollis Tegarden

Song—The Rain

*Curran*

Welcome

Robert A. Stewart

Essay—The Progress of Education in New England  
Dorothy R. Dutcher

Essay—Man's Best Friend—The Dog  
Leslie M. Davis

Song—The Market

*Carew*

Essay—The Home of the Future  
Ruby J. Barrows

Essay—Reading as a Hobby  
Lewis L. Stead

Song—The Bear

*Mana-Zucca*

Essay—Swimming

Ruth E. Howarth

Essay—Youth's Attitude Toward War

Alice Nealley

Song—(a) Were I the Sun

*Lang*

(b) Now the Day is Over

*Barnby*

Essay—Our American Forests

Richard P. Whipple

Essay—The Importance of Science to Everyday Life

Leola L. Washburn

Presentation of Diplomas

Robert I. Bramhall, Superintendent of Schools

Class Song—Composed and Conducted by

Dorothy R. Dutcher

Presentation of History Medal

AMERICAN LEGION

Benediction

Rev. JB Hollis Tegarden

#### GRADUATES.

David Sumner Allen	Dorothy Ruth Dutcher
Ruth Ellen Baldwin	Dena Ghatti
Ruby Joan Barrows	Doris Mae Goodwin
Ada Bracci	Helen Louise Griggs
Charles Edward Burnham	Harriet H. Hall
Stella Cembruch	Robert Augustus Hammond
Anthony Michael Ciechanowicz	Ruth Emma Howarth
Marshall Tucker Clark	Dorothy Mabel Hullah
Teresa Augusta Dolores Colbi	Richard Griggs Knight
Grace Stetson Crosby	Thelma Louise Knights
Leslie Morton Davis	Roberta Florence Look

Nasaro Victor Mantoni	Lewis Lambert Stead
Marie Ann McGowan	Elizabeth Napier Stevenson
Perry Kay MacNevin	Robert Alexander Stewart, Jr.
Ruth Avis Moorehouse	Thelma Stratton
Alice Nealley	Fathe Mabelle Sweet
William Firth Northrop, Jr.	Mary Hall Thibodeau
Norma Patriquin Nourse	Wesley Lyman Tinkham
Miriam Eleanor Noyes	Virginia May Tinney
Marjorie Edna O'Neil	Eleanor Virginia Travaglini
Muriel Aleda Reed	Doris Anna Urquhart
Helen Louise Roberts	Mickie Volpicelli
Arthur Gordon Robertson	Leola Lillian Washburn
Marion Louise Robertson	Thorald Joseph Wells
Margaret Loretta Rumse	Richard Putnam Whipple
Cristelle Iola Sparhawk	Frances Marie Wojnowski
Dorothy Louise Sparhawk	Robert Palmer Wood

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PRIZE AWARDS.

GENERAL DRAPER HIGH SCHOOL.

PRIZE SPEAKING CONTEST

MAY 1, 1936.

First Prize ..... Marion L. Congdon  
Second Prize ..... Priscilla M. Woodhead

HOPEDALE HIGH SCHOOL ALUMNI ASSOCIATION.

Alumni Scholarship Award ..... Constance Louise Morton

SONS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION.

American History Medal ..... Constance Louise Morton

LEGION AUXILIARY AWARD.

For Good Citizenship Shown in School ..... Nello Ripanti

JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL.

American Legion History Medal ..... Leola Lillian Washburn



## REGULATIONS OF THE SCHOOL DEPARTMENT

No child may enter the first grade unless such child shall become six years of age on or before October 1 following the opening of the fall term he wishes to enter school. To enter school in the fall of 1937 a child must be six years old on or before October 1, 1937.

No child may enter the kindergarten unless such child shall become five years of age on or before October 1 following the opening of the fall term he wishes to enter. To enter kindergarten in the fall of 1937 a child must be five years old on or before October 1, 1937. No child may enter school after October 1 except by special permission.

When a child first enters school in the town a birth certificate and vaccination certificate must be presented.

Any pupil who has been out of school on account of a contagious disease shall not return to school until he has secured a health certificate signed by a physician. This certificate will be exchanged through the superintendent of schools for a return permit to be given to the teacher.

**MEMBERSHIP BY GRADES ON OCTOBER 1, 1936**  
**BASED ON AGES ON OCTOBER 1, 1936**

**BOYS**

Ages	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	Total
Kindergarten	23																	23
Grade I		26	8															34
Grade II			13	12	1													26
Grade III				13	10	3												26
Grade IV					16	4												22
Grade V						17	12	2										31
Grade VI						2	11	4										19
Grade VII							1	18	7	4	3	1	1					35
Grade VIII									5	5	5	2						17
<b>Total Boys, Kdgtn.—Grade VIII</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>1</b>					<b>233</b>
High School																		
Grade IX									2	7	10	1						20
Grade X											9	3						13
Grade XI											2	10	1	1				14
Grade XII												1	2	8	1			12
<b>Total Boys in High School</b>										<b>2</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>1</b>		<b>59</b>
<b>Total Boys in All Grades</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>1</b>			<b>292</b>

**GIRLS**

Ages	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	Total
Kindergarten	27																	27
Grade I		20																20
Grade II		1	23	5	1	1												31
Grade III				22	8	1												31
Grade IV					11	10		1										22
Grade V					1	25	7	4			1							38
Grade VI						1	17	7	2	2								29
Grade VII								22	2	2	1							27
Grade VIII								3	20	7		1	1					31
<b>Total Girls, Kdgtn.—Grade VIII</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>						<b>256</b>
High School																		
Grade IX									2	21	8							31
Grade X										4	11	3						18
Grade XI											1	6	11					18
Grade XII													7	2	1			10
<b>Total Girls in High School</b>										<b>2</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>		<b>77</b>
<b>Total Girls in All Grades</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>			<b>333</b>

# ATTENDANCE STATISTICS FOR THE SCHOOL YEAR 1935—1936.

Schools	Total Enrollment			Non-Resident	Aggregate Attendance	Average Daily Attendance	Average Membership	Enrollment October 1, 1936			Supplementary List			Enrollment by ages 1935-1936				No. of Pupils Having Perfect Attendance	Per Cent. of Attendance
	Boys	Girls	Total					Boys	Girls	Total	Boys	Girls	Total	5-7 years old	7-14 years old	14-16 years old	16-21 years old		
High School	66	57	123	1	22233	118	121	66	57	123		2	2		6	53	64	27	98
Dutcher St.	18	27	45		7721	42	44	18	27	45		1	1		30	14	1	2	96
Grades 7 & 8	16	28	44		7303	40	42	16	28	44		1	3		30	13	1	1	95
Grade 7	12	11	23	2	4088	22	24	12	11	23	2	2	3		18	4	1	1	95
Grade 6	23	19	42		7180	39	41	23	19	42		1	1		41	1		1	95
Grades 5 & 6	19	18	37	1	6638	36	38	19	18	37	1	3	4		33	4		1	96
Grade 5	17	24	41	4	6932	38	40	17	24	41		1	4		41			1	95
Chapel St.																			
Grades 3 & 4	21	17	38	1	6678	36	39	21	17	38	1	3	4		38			93	
Grade 2	18	14	32	2	5186	28	30	18	14	32					32			94	
Kindergarten	28	19	47	1	7271	40	45	28	19	47	1	1	1	47				88	
Park St.																			
Grade 4	14	27	41	1	7004	38	40	14	27	41		1	1		41		1	95	
Grades 2 & 3	25	17	42	4	7208	39	42	25	17	42		1	1		42		1	94	
Grades 1 & 2	14	29	43		7312	40	43	14	28	42		1	1	18	25			94	
Grade 1	21	16	37	3	6297	34	38	21	16	37		2	8	30	7			90	
Totals	312	323	635	20	109051	590	627	312	322	634	10	20	30	95	384	89	67	34	95

Fifty-first Annual Report  
Of  
The Bancroft Memorial Library

Hopedale, Massachusetts

For The

YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1936

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TRUSTEES

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HARRY A. BILLINGS, Secretary

Term expires 1937

ANNA M. BANCROFT, Chairman

Term expires 1938

WALLACE I. STIMPSON

Term expires 1939

LIBRARIAN.

MADELEINE B. WOODBURY, May, 1931—

JUVENILE DEPARTMENT.

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PART TIME ASSISTANTS.

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Priscilla Woodhead

JANITOR.

JAMES H. YOUNG.

SOUTH HOPEDALE BRANCH.

LIBRARIAN.

ADELINE A. CALDWELL, February, 1924—

The Trustees of The Bancroft Memorial Library present herewith the report of the Librarian and the various financial reports for the fiscal year ended December 31, 1936. The report shows in detail the various activities of the Library and are self-explanatory.

The Trustees have improved the heating system by the installation of an oil burner, and outside of this item there have been no unusual expenditures the past year.

In common with all other libraries throughout the country, the circulation of the books from the Main Library has decreased considerably due to better business conditions and longer hours of labor, but the fact that the total circulation of the Main Library and Branch for the year 1936 was 34,220 in 304 working days, which gives an average circulation of 95 books, this gives one some idea of the number of people visiting the Library daily.

The total number of visitors to the Reading Room increased nearly 600 over the year 1935, while the visitors to the Children's Room decreased about 1600 for the year.

While the income from the invested funds decreased during the year due somewhat to lower interest rates prevailing, we were able to purchase fifty per cent more books than the previous year, bringing the total number of volumes in the Library up to 18,121.

The Trustees appreciate the hearty cooperation of the Librarian and her assistants, and especially do they appreciate the use and interest of the Townspeople in the facilities of the Library, and to the continuance of these cordial relations we sincerely invite suggestions or criticisms regarding the work of the Library.

ANNA M. BANCROFT,  
WALLACE I. STIMPSON,  
HARRY A. BILLINGS,

Trustees.

THE BANCROFT MEMORIAL LIBRARY  
FINANCIAL STATEMENT FOR THE YEAR ENDING  
DECEMBER 31, 1936.

**Receipts:**

General Appropriation .....	\$3,600 00	
From Dog Tax .....	413 43	
	<hr/>	\$4,013 43

**Income from Funds, Year 1936:**

Bancroft Fund .....	\$87 89	
S. M. Whipple Fund .....	43 94	
Bancroft-Day Fund (Lura B. Day)	212 87	
Bancroft-Day Fund (Ruth Day Williams) .....	792 28	
Joseph B. and Sylvia W. Bancroft Fund .....	772 11	
Frances E. Colburn Fund .....	389 77	
Balance 1935 .....	24 09	
	<hr/>	\$2,322 95
Total Receipts .....		<hr/> \$6,336 38

**Expenditures:****Books purchased from:**

Bancroft-Day Fund (R. D. Williams) .....	\$293 43	
Bancroft Fund .....	87 62	
Sarah M. Whipple Fund .....	43 95	
Bancroft-Day Fund (L. B. Day)	212 87	
Appropriation (Book postage and U. S. Catalog) .....	39 06	
	<hr/>	\$676 93

**From Funds:**

Periodicals .....	\$158 40	
Binding .....	147 20	
	<hr/>	\$305 60



## Salaries Paid:

From Joseph B. and Sylvia W.	
Bancroft Fund .....	\$688 32
From General Appropriation .....	3,018 76
	<hr/>
	\$3,707 08

## From Funds:

Oil burner .....	\$360 00
Ashes .....	15 00
Water .....	21 25
Telephone .....	42 95
Postage .....	10 55
Printing .....	7 00
Transportation to South Hopedale	15 60
P. O. Box rent .....	4 00
Supplies .....	124 27
Labor .....	2 00
Total General Expenses .....	<hr/>
	\$602 62

Lighting, Appropriation .....	\$221 92
Heating, Appropriation .....	566 10
	<hr/>
	\$788 02

## Repairs, Appropriation:

Floors .....	\$30 52
General .....	137 07
	<hr/>
	\$167 59

Total Expenses .....	<hr/>
	\$6,247 84

## SUMMARY.

## Receipts:

From Appropriation ..... \$4,013 43

## Paid:

## From Appropriations:

Book Postage and U. S. Catalog	\$39 06
Salaries .....	3,018 76
Heat .....	566 10
Light .....	221 92
Repairs .....	167 59
	<hr/>
	\$4,013 43

## Receipts:

Income from Funds ..... \$2,322 95

## Paid:

## From Income from Funds:

Books .....	\$637 87
Periodicals .....	158 40
Binding .....	147 20
Salaries .....	688 32
General Expenses .....	602 62

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\$2,234 41

Balance on hand ..... 88 54

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Grand Total ..... \$6,336 38 \$6,336 38

## STATEMENT OF FUNDS.

NAME	DONOR	Date	Purpose	Principal of Funds	1935 Balance Income Dec. 31	1936 Income	1936 Expended	1936 Balance Dec. 31
Bancroft Fund	{ Joseph B. Bancroft and Sylvia W. Bancroft \$1000 Joseph B. Bancroft \$1000 }	{ Sept. 11 1897 March 9 1910 }	Books	\$2,191.20	\$ 0.18	\$ 87.89	\$ 87.62	\$ 0.45
Sarah M. Whipple Fund	Lilla Bancroft Bracken	Oct. 3 1913	Juvenile Books	1,095.60	0.01	43.94	43.95	0.00
Bancroft-Day Fund	Lura Bancroft Day	July 28 1914	Decided by Trustees	5,305.94	0.00	212.87	212.87	0.00
Bancroft-Day Fund	Ruth Day Williams	July 1 1926	Decided by Trustees	19,747.60	23.90	792.28	728.09	88.09
Joseph B. and Sylvia W. Bancroft Fund	Lura Bancroft Day	Oct. 28 1914	Decided by Trustees	19,244.85	0.00	772.11	772.11	0.00
Frances E. Colburn Fund	Frances E. Colburn	Jan. 16 1919	Decided by Trustees	9,715.15	0.00	389.77	389.77	0.00
Totals				\$57,300.34	\$ 24.09	\$2,298.86	\$2,234.41	\$ 88.54

## LIBRARIAN'S REPORT.

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The Librarian respectfully submits the fifty-first annual report.

The appended circulation figures show a decrease of 3,549 books over the previous year or 11 instead of 12 books per capita. The attendance in the reading and reference rooms increased 585 over the previous year.

In the hope of improving the service, books which have more than three names on the reserve list are no longer renewable. This rule applies to both fiction and non-fiction books.

Miss Louise Morton who left the Staff to enter the Library School at Simmons College has been replaced by Miss Priscilla Woodhead, a pupil at the General Draper High School.

The Librarian spent a most profitable week at the American Library Association meeting in Richmond, Virginia last May. At the mid-winter meeting of the Massachusetts Library Association held in Boston and the spring meeting held in Swampscott the Librarian served on the hospitality committee. Three of the Staff attended the two meetings of the Bay Path Library Club and the Librarian was elected second vice president.

## CHILDREN'S ROOM.

The prize bird houses of Robert Stewart and William Bruce were on exhibition during January.

On June 15 State Certificate reading began and on October 10 fifteen Honor Certificates and eighty-two small certificates were awarded. The Honor Certificate represents

twenty books five of which must be non-fiction and the small certificate represents five books.

During Book Week in November new and old children's books were exhibited. The grade school teachers and the superintendent of schools were guests one afternoon. Tea was served in the Trustees' Room through the generosity of Miss Bancroft. Miss Bancroft graciously received and Mrs. Harry A. Billings poured.

I wish at this time to express appreciation to the Trustees for their generosity and helpfulness. I, also, thank the Staff and janitor for their faithful service.

Respectfully submitted,

MADELEINE B. WOODBURY,

Librarian.

	1935	1936
Total circulation at Main Library and Branch	37,769	34,220

## Main Library:—

Days library open .....	303	304
Circulation .....	33,546	29,910
Average daily circulation .....	111	95
Largest daily circulation .....	222	191
Smallest daily circulation .....	40	42
Per cent. of circulation, fiction .....	76	75
Per cent. of circulation, juvenile .....	27	28
Total number of visitors to reading room	4,194	4,779
Total number of visitors to children's room	10,580	8,967
Card holders, total number .....	1,904	1,940
Card holders, registered in 1935 and 1936	135	84
Cards withdrawn .....	113	48
Volumes in library .....	18,011	18,121

## Volumes added during year:—

By purchase from appropriation .....	0	0
By purchase from funds .....	202	310
By purchase from General Draper money	0	4
By gift, individual .....	8	27
By binding .....	14	12

## Volumes purchased to replace discarded

copies .....	17	41
Volumes withdrawn .....	239	243
Volumes bound .....	151	185

1935 1936

## South Hopedale Branch:—

Days library open .....	50	51
Circulation .....	4,223	4,310
Average daily circulation .....	84	86
Per cent. of circulation, fiction .....	70	69



	1935	1936
Per cent. of circulation, current magazines	18	17
Per cent. of circulation, juvenile .....	25	25
Card holders .....	50	50
Fines Collected .....	\$165.30	\$182.13

## GROWTH, SIZE AND USE OF LIBRARY, 1936.

	Volumes added	Volumes withdrawn	Total Volumes in Li- brary at end of 1936	Volumes circulated Hopedale	So. Hopedale
Fiction	118	127	5,554	22,550	2,957
Juvenile Fiction	58	78	1,750	* 6,360	* 743
Juvenile Classed	31	25	662	* 2,163	* 351
General	1	3	41	96	
Periodicals	12		1,766	2,071	735
Philosophy	4		224	120	8
Religion	2		333	92	4
Sociology	12		615	449	85
Philology	1		45	118	58
Natural Science	11	1	341	268	51
Useful Arts	16		809	716	73
Fine Arts	11	1	425	652	17
Literature	16		1,304	933	40
Foreign Language			180	* 21	
Travel	22	4	913	731	188
Biography	20		1,107	618	94
History	10	4	1,155	496	
Reference	8		816		
Curiosities			81		
	353	243	18,121	29,910	4,310

\*—Included in general circulation.

## GIFTS.

	Vol.	Pam.	Per.
American Association for International Conciliation .....		11	
Ammen, Mrs. I. G. ....			3
Atlantic Monthly Press .....	1		
Ball, Mr. F. E. ....			2 yrs.
Bancroft, Miss A. M. ....	13		
Billings, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. ....	74		
Bramhall, Mr. R. I. ....			1
Butterworth, Mr. C. F. ....			1 yr.
Calhoun, Mrs. S. F. ....	3		
Charlescraft Press .....	1		
Chemical Foundation, Inc. ....	1		
Clark, Mrs. F. S. ....			1 yr.
Clark, Mr. H. B. ....			1 yr.
Firestone, Mr. H. S., Jr. ....	1		
Hancock, Mrs. Edward ....	1		
Henry, Mr. John S. ....	1	1	
Hopedale High School .....		2	
Hopedale Park Commissioners .....			1 yr.
Lieut. Arthur Joy Draper Camp .....			1 yr.
Massachusetts State College .....		33	
Massachusetts, State of .....	7	1	
Milford Daily News .....			1 yr.
New York Stock Exchange .....	1		
Nutting, Mr. Wallace .....	1		
Osgood, Mr. and Mrs. Dana .....	9	3	
Pratt, Mrs. Frank .....	1		
Scribner, Chas. Sons .....	1		
Treloar, Mrs. Percival .....	1		
United Fruit Company .....		1	
United States Government .....		130	
Uxbridge Savings Bank .....	1		
Y. P. S. C, E, of Union Church .....			1 yr.

The library also exchanges annual reports with about twenty-five libraries.

The library is grateful for flowers received several times during the summer from the garden of Mr. C. F. Butterworth and artistically arranged in a suitable container by Mrs. Donald Fraser.

## STATISTICS FOR A. L. A.

Printed at the request of the A. L. A. Committee on Library Administration.

Annual report for year ended	Dec. 31, 1936
Name of library	The Bancroft Memorial
City or town	Hopedale, Massachusetts
Population served (town census 1936)	3,059
Terms of use	Free for lending and reference
Total number of agencies	Central library and one branch
Number of days open during the year (Central library)	304
Hours for lending (Central library)	42 hours a week, except July and August 36 hours a week
Hours for reading (Central library)	

	Adult	Juvenile	Total
Number of volumes at beginning of year	15,585	2,426	18,011
Number of volumes added in 1936.....	264	89	353
Number of volumes withdrawn .....	140	103	243
Total number at end of year.....	15,709	2,412	18,121

	Adult	Juvenile	Total
Number of volumes of fiction lent for home use.....	18,404	7,103	25,507
Number of volumes of non-fiction lent for home use.....	6,199	2,514	8,713
Total number of volumes lent for home use.....	24,603	9,617	34,220

Prints, Music rolls	None in library
Music circulation. (Books entirely)	Not separate from rest of 700
Number of borrowers registered in 1936	84 Central library
Total borrowers registered	1,940 Central library—50 Branch
Registration period	During life or residence
Number of newspapers, periodicals currently received	72 Central library—8 Branch
Number of persons using reading and reference rooms	4,779 Central library

Receipts from		Payments for	
Appropriations .....	\$3,600 00	Books .....	\$ 676 93
Endowment Funds.....	2,322 95	Periodicals .....	158 40
Dog Tax .....	413 43	Binding .....	147 20
		Salaries, library service and janitor service	3,632 08
		Heat.....	566 10
		Light .....	221 92
		Other maintenance.....	845 21
		Total Maintenance	\$6,247 84
		Balance	88 54
Total	<u>\$6,336 38</u>		<u>\$6,336 38</u>

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#### GENERAL DRAPER FUND.

Amount on hand Jan. 1, 1936.....	\$ 58 42
Received from interest.....	1 76
	<u>\$ 60 18</u>
Expended for:	
Historical Books.....	\$ 11 25
Balance on hand Milford Savings Bank, Jan. 1, 1937.....	<u>\$ 48 93</u>

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